



## In Our HOUSE

By Arthur Mayse

Whether he roars up breakneck hills on a brawny 74-cubic-inch or sputters to work on a little 50 cc, the British Columbia motorcyclist who takes to the roads without a safety helmet will be on the wrong side of the law after July 1.

He's also in the soup if his pillion passenger lacks the same shatterproof headgear.

This life-saving scrap of legislation passed its third reading in the legislative chamber without a word of dissent on Monday.

Only argument was over how strict police should be in enforcing the law. Some members felt that the boy out on a three-block errand should receive only a warning if he left his helmet at home. Most, though, took the view that a trip of any length holds hazards, and favored sterner measures.

One suggestion was that he should be required to dismount and wheel his machine until he and his helmet were reunited.

Much less palatable to opposition members was an amendment which, in the opinion of Cranbrook NDP Leo Nimsick, could give B.C. "a highway gestapo."

The clause in question, Attorney-General Bonner explained will allow highway department emergency vehicle drivers to pursue or flag down those who tend to set their own speed limits. It was inspired by a mainland incident wherein a highway department car took out after a speeder, who when apprehended, promptly laid a speeding charge against his pursuer.

Recalling last December yearnings by Highway Minister Gagliardi for provincial highway police, Opposition Leader Strachan suggested that ever since Mr. Gagliardi got his ferry route trouble shooters, he has been angling for just such a force as may stem from this legislation.

Except to trade the occasional snarl, Liberals and New Democrats have been getting along with exceptionally little friction this session.

The afternoon sitting, however, saw a brisk exchange between Liberal Leader Ray Perrault and Dewdney NDP David Barrett over promoters' plans for a North Vancouver alpine area.

In Mr. Barrett's view, a group of which certain members are known to the government has sought to alienate a provincial park called "Cypress Bowl" by plastering it with miners' claims and placer leases.

No sooner was he seated than Mr. Perrault rose to challenge. The claims and leases, he said, were designed only to protect the group from other winter sport promoters eager to set up shop in Cypress Bowl.

"In exchange for a \$300,000 bond," he declared, "the government is giving them the right to build a ski lift. Much of the alleged information given to the House is not responsible."

Last word came from Recreation and Conservation Minister Kiernan, who insisted that Cypress Bowl isn't a park but simply unoccupied Crown land, and chided Mr. Barrett for his suspicions.

"I do resent this suggestion of some dark and dubious scheme," he told members, "especially when it is based on a fallacy, then bounds from fallacy to fallacy like a mountain goat gone berserk!"

A nice flourish, that, in a plodding day which saw Premier Bennett adjourn the sitting sharp at 11 p.m. with the Revenue Act amendment still on the griddle.

## DOWN IN ATLANTIC 85 MILES OFF TARGET

# U.S. Space Duo Land Safely

### RANGER COURSE CORRECTED

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — A small steering rocket ignited briefly aboard Ranger IX today, prodding the camera-carrying spacecraft to a course that hopefully will send it hurtling to its death into a moon crater.

A spokesman for Jet Propulsion Laboratory said the U.S. spacecraft acknowledged a ground signal and "apparently executed the command." But scientists say they would not know for certain whether the manoeuvre was successful for at least 10 hours.

## New Weapons Raise Danger, Wilson Warns

LONDON (Reuters) — Prime Minister Wilson told Parliament today the introduction of any new weapons in Viet Nam or extension of the anti-Communist war there carries with it "greater danger," but he refused to condemn the use of non-lethal gas.

He made it clear Britain is against any extension of the Viet Nam war but said as far as he knows only tear gas has been used against the Communist guerrillas in South Viet Nam and this is not against international conventions.

"But," he added, "any bringing in of new weapons—any extension of the war in any way... carries with it all the time greater danger."

He said Britain seeks elucidation of a statement attributed to U.S. ambassador to South Viet Nam, Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, that there are no limits to expansion of the war in Viet Nam.

Wilson said: "I think this goes considerably further than anything I have told the House. I think one must be concerned to find out what the facts are."

Wilson's carefully worded answers to a hushed House of Commons were to a series of questions chiefly from his own supporters, nearly 60 of whom Continued on Page 2

## U.S. Digging 'Own Pit' In Viet Nam

MOSCOW (CP) — Leonid Brezhnev said today that the Soviet Union is "already taking the necessary measures of assistance to strengthen the defensive potential" of North Viet Nam.

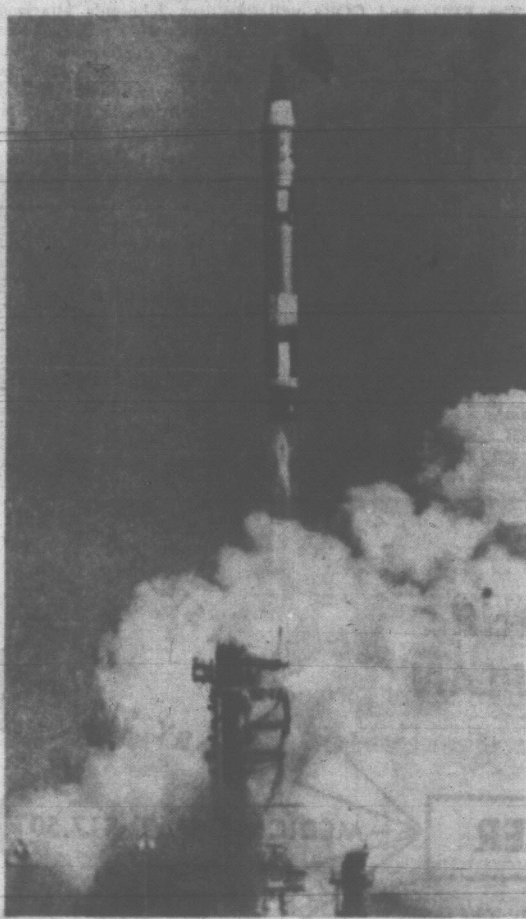
The Soviet Communist party chief told a Red Square crowd welcoming the Soviet Union's two new cosmonauts: "If the American aggressors hope that time will pass and their actions in Viet Nam will be forgotten, that time will wash away the disgrace of their crimes, they are deeply mistaken."

"We are warning the aggressors: by your criminal actions you are digging such a pit beneath your feet from which you then may not be able to get out."

He added that the Soviet government was receiving many applications from Soviet citizens "expressing their readiness to take part in the Vietnamese people's struggle for freedom and independence."

## Convoys Hit

SAIGON (AP) — Eight South Vietnamese fighter-bombers knocked out a radar station and hit military road convoys in North Viet Nam today, a South Vietnamese military spokesman announced.



BLASTING OFF at start of three-orbit trip around world are United States astronauts Virgil I. Grissom and John W. Young in nose cone (arrow) in first two-man space launching by U.S. (AP Wirephoto.)

### VOICE FROM MOLLY:

## 'Yeah, Man... Oh It's Spectacular'

The Molly Brown, cailing earth... speaking from space...

Seventeen seconds after lift-off, Astronaut L. Gordon Cooper on the ground, advises: "You're on your way, Molly Brown!"

Command pilot Gus Grissom, the laconic voice of Molly Brown: "Yeah, man... oh, man!"

Now it's over Australia, at T-plus-56: "I can see very clearly the lights of Perth."

Query from astronaut Charles (Pete) Conrad at Carnarvon, Australia, tracking station: "What is the suit temperature?"

Grissom: "Fifty-four degrees."

Swinging into the second orbit...



SYMBOL of the gay and glittering era of silent movies, Mae Murray, 75, died today at Motion Picture Country House and Hospital in Hollywood. The hospital said her death came after a prolonged illness due to a stroke in August, 1964.

### HUTCHISON SERIES—PAGE 4

Mr. Pearson's intended French-Canadian lieutenants have lost the confidence of Quebec, as well as of the rest of Canada.

Whom will he now choose to replace Mr. Lamontagne and Mr. Favreau and restore the necessary bi-racial flavor to the Liberal leadership?

On page 4 today Bruce Hutchison takes a look behind the scenes at the national capital to see what is developing.

## Manoeuvre Ship During 3 Orbits

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — A helicopter picked astronauts Virgil Grissom and John Young out of the Atlantic Ocean today and landed them safely on the deck of the U.S. aircraft carrier Intrepid. Grissom stepped from the helicopter to the deck of the ship with a broad smile on his face. John Young followed quickly.

CAPE KENNEDY (AP) — The daring U.S. space twins, Virgil Grissom and John Young, flew the world's first manoeuvrable manned spaceship three times around the earth today; but mission control said they missed their main target by about 85 miles when the capsule parachuted into the Atlantic Ocean.

Aircraft sighted the capsule floating in the water. One of the planes dropped para-rescue divers and they swam towards the vehicle to secure it with a flotation collar.

Mission control reported the time of the splash-down at 2:18 p.m. EST (11:18 a.m. PST).

At 2:43 p.m., mission control reported that the flotation collar had been fitted around the spacecraft and swimmers were deployed around the spacecraft.

Astronauts Grissom and Young reported by radio that they were in good shape after the landing.

The astronauts opened the hatches and aircraft flying overhead said they were giving the thumbs-up signal.

Later the astronauts were picked up by a helicopter for the flight to the aircraft carrier Intrepid, reported 40 miles from the site and speeding in that direction.

The pulsating flight, in which the astronauts flew their space chariot backwards, forwards, sideways and upside down—and executed the first orbital shifts ever made by a manned space vehicle—was an effective rehearsal for long-duration and rendezvous flights planned in the two-man Gemini program in the next few months.

Grissom, 38-year-old air force major who became the first man to rocket twice into space, and Young, 34-year-old navy lieutenant-commander, were in the air four hours 54 minutes in a flight that covered more than 81,000 miles.

In what was described as a "textbook flight," they experienced only a few minor technical difficulties.

Grissom reported that the Molly Brown responded well to his control and he was able to manoeuvre it with ease.

From the moment of orbital insertion until landing, the spacecraft was flown manually and did not rely on automatic equipment as did the one-man mercury capsules.

Young, a fledgling spaceman, took over the controls for the first time during the third orbit, flying it for some 20 minutes.

Then the veteran Grissom resumed control and guided the Molly Brown to the parachute landing. Grissom operated the jets that thrust the capsule into a nearly circular orbit ranging from 97 to 105 miles high.

A Titan II rocket had originally launched the craft, officially called Gemini III, into an orbit with a high point of 140 miles and a low of 100 miles.

Ability to manoeuvre a spacecraft is essential before space rendezvous—and flight onward to the moon—can be accomplished. A series of 10 Gemini flights will be followed by the Apollo moon program.

The Molly Brown was named by the astronauts after the musical, The Unsinkable Molly Brown—an Continued on Page 2



U.S. SPACE MEN John W. Young (front) and Virgil I. Grissom carry portable air conditioning units to elevator before being launched into orbit today. (AP Wirephoto.)

### BID REJECTED

## PM Not Going To Bribe Probe

OTTAWA (CP) — Chief Justice Frederic Dorian today rejected a motion by three opposition parties that Prime Minister Pearson be summoned as a witness before his inquiry into alleged attempted bribery and influence-peddling by ministerial aides.

The judge said he couldn't see how testimony by the prime minister would supply his commission with "any useful information."

He said that throughout the inquiry he has felt that if any person, no matter how high his position in government or elsewhere, could not enlighten the commission there was no point in summoning him.

Ross Drouin, Conservative party counsel, had remarked that Mr. Pearson would be called as a witness immediately if he were not the prime minister.

Chief Justice Dorian said he wonders whether the commission has the right to go into the relationships between members of the Cabinet.

He said he doesn't know whether there must be constant Continued on Page 2

### WIRE BRIEFS

#### Deadline Extended

OTTAWA (CP) — Extension of the deadline for the \$500 winter housebuilding bonus to April 15 from March 31 was announced in the Commons today by Labor Minister MacEachern.

#### Formula Approved

CHARLOTTETOWN (CP) — The Prince Edward Island legislature unanimously approved today the proposed formula to amend the Canadian constitution.

#### Rail Bridge Burned

KAMLOOPS (CP) — Fire destroyed an 85-foot railway bridge about 56 miles east of here early this morning, delaying Canadian National Railway trains about seven hours.

## SCIENTIST TO KENNEDY: 'BOY, DO I ENVY YOU'

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (AP) — Cheered by forecasts of continued good weather, the Mount Kennedy climbing party faced today the first step in the ascent of the 13,900-foot mountain, highest unclimbed peak in North America.

Senator Robert F. Kennedy and the other expedition members spent the night at a base camp on Hyannis Port Glacier, which they named after Kennedy's arrival Monday afternoon. The Kennedy family has a home at Hyannis Port, Mass.

The climbers plan to reach a second base camp and spend the night after their first day up the mountain, named by the Canadian government for the U.S. senator's slain brother.

President John F. Kennedy. The sun was shining brightly as the party flew Monday to the camp from Whitehorse in an RCAF helicopter.

The weather office said the wind is not expected to exceed 20-30 miles an hour, and the temperature should not be below zero.

James W. Whittaker of Seattle, leader of the expedition and the first American to scale Mount Everest, had predicted they might encounter fierce wind and temperatures around 40 below zero.

Whittaker has said the party could be back in two or three days, if the weather remains good.

Kennedy, Whittaker and Dr. Bradford Washburn, scientific leader of the expedition and

director of Boston Museum, flew Monday from Seattle to Juneau, Alaska, by airliner, and from there to Whitehorse by chartered plane.

A big two-rotor helicopter took them to the 8,500-foot base camp, where Kennedy pitched in with the others to shovel snow and haul on a rope to free a ski-equipped airplane, chartered by reporters, which got stuck.

Washburn, who headed a 1935 expedition that first explored the area, returned to Whitehorse in the helicopter after telling Kennedy and Whittaker: "Boy, do I envy you."

The expedition is sponsored by the National Geographic Society and the Boston Museum, its principal object being to map the mountain and the surrounding peaks and glaciers more thoroughly.

Only Canadian in the eight-man climbing party is James Craig, 40, a Vancouver lawyer and veteran mountaineer.

Others in the party are Barry Prather, Ellensburg, Wash.; Dee Molensar, Olympia, Wash.; William Prater, Ellensburg; George Sanner, Seattle, and William Allard, photographer for the National Geographic Society.



PITCHING IN to help free a ski plane chartered by reporters at base camp were Senator Robert Kennedy and expedition leader Jim Whittaker. Sen. Kennedy hopes to climb the mountain named after his brother, assassinated U.S. president, John F. Kennedy. (AP Wirephoto.)

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## SPACE

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allusion to Grissom's first spaceship, which sank in the Atlantic Ocean after a return from a sub-orbital flight. While President Johnson and others watched on television, the Titan thundered into the skies at 9:24 a.m. EST (6:24 a.m. PST.)

Before the first orbit was completed, the mission control centre gave the green light for a second orbit, they okayed a third.

The drop in orbital altitude was not a sudden thing. As the thruster jets fired for 77 seconds, the spacecraft moved gradually into its new path as it sailed over Georgia at about 17,400 miles an hour.

Midway through the second orbit, Grissom conducted another space craft manoeuvre which will be important to future rendezvous flights. He twisted the capsule around 90 degrees so it was flying sideways and pointing south.

Then he fired his forward jets for 15 seconds to shoot the craft onto an orbital path about 1½ miles south of the original course. Then he quickly turned the space craft around 180 degrees so it was pointing north and executed a number of rapid jet firings to stimulate action which might have to be taken as a spacecraft approaches a target satellite on a rendezvous mission.

In another space first, the U.S. Syncom II communications satellite was used to relay information from the Molly Brown to the ground tracking network while the spacecraft flew above the Indian Ocean on orbit No. 2. Syncom II, which had been used as a backup relay during the early portions of the flight, became a main relay point when a tracking station in Australia was cut off briefly from communications.

During orbit No. 3, Grissom fired the jets again to drop the low point of the orbit to 52 miles—an altitude that would allow the spacecraft to be automatically drawn back to earth by gravity and atmospheric friction.

This step would eliminate any possibility that Grissom and Young would be marooned in space.

Only three minor problems developed in this first flight by a steerable spacecraft. Two involved a secondary electronic system associated with a thruster jet and a slight pressure drop in a fuel system. Both problems corrected themselves in a short time.

The other involved the blood pressure cuff on Grissom's arm which he said he was unable to operate. Grissom and Young had to remain in the capsule only 23 minutes longer than originally planned as the launch crew went through a near-perfect countdown.

Thousands watched the launch from the beaches around this spaceport. More watched on television. Among them were President Johnson, who witnessed the spectacle on TV at the White House.

Others included Barbara Young and Betty Grissom, wives of the Gemini pilots, at their homes in Houston, Tex. Both arose before dawn to begin the tense vigil.

Grissom and Young are the 18th and 19th persons and the seventh and eighth Americans to fly into space. Russia has orbited 10 men and one woman.

Three Russian cosmonauts went aloft in the Voskhod I last Oct. 16 in the first multi-manned flight. Just five days ago, two more Russians shot into orbit and one of them stepped outside the capsule in a historic space feat.

Aboard the spacecraft were sea urchin eggs, sent aloft to determine effect of weightlessness on simple living tissue. Another experiment was with human blood to determine effects of combination of weightlessness and radiation on blood.

FULTON  
no comment

## Students Hit Secret Meet With Fulton

By CANDIDE TEMPLE  
A brief student demonstration Monday protested a Uvic appearance by British Columbia Conservative leader E. Davie Fulton.

The protest started when Mr. Fulton spoke only to a closed meeting of university Conservatives in the Student Union Building.

Reporters of the university newspaper Martlet were asked to leave. Soon after students appeared with placards objecting to this procedure.

Paul Williamson, president of the students' council, said if the meeting was to be closed to students generally, then it should not have taken place in the Student Union Building but in a private home.

Adrienne Effelmont, president of the Uvic Conservative Club, said the protest was "embarrassing to me, to the club and to Mr. Fulton."

A news leak from the closed meeting quoted Mr. Fulton as stating, "I want to go back to federal politics because I feel that is where I belong."

But in an interview later he refused to comment on the question.

Mr. Fulton, a former justice minister in the Diefenbaker government, has often been mentioned as a possible candidate for the prime minister's job in a new Tory government, if Mr. Diefenbaker is displaced as national leader.

Mr. Fulton would not comment either on the chances of an early federal election. "I have been wrong too often before," he said.

## QOR All Packed For Cyprus Trip

The 99-member advance party of First Battalion, Queen's Own Rifles, was all packed and ready to roll for Cyprus by 8 a.m. today.

They will leave at 9 p.m. tonight aboard an RCAF Yukon aircraft from the navy's VU-33 utility squadron at Patricia Bay airport.

A cabinet order sending the QORs to maintain Canada's peacekeeping role on the island came Monday afternoon.

Each infantry man is permitted a total of 150 pounds equipment — barrack box, kit bag, large pack and FN rifle.

The soldiers will report to Work Point Barracks, Esquimalt, at 6:30 p.m. From there they will go to Pat Bay to embark on their 18-hour flight.

The airlift includes refueling stops at Trenton, Ont., and

## Shot By Bodyguard

HAVANA (Reuters)—Cuban Transport Minister Faure Chomon, 36, was accidentally shot in the thigh by one of his bodyguards Monday. The minister was getting into his car after a visit to friends when the bodyguard's gun went off. Chomon was taken to hospital for treatment. Officials said his condition was not serious.

The tour of duty is expected to last six months, depending on the UN mandate which was renewed for three months Friday, effective March 26.

The mandate comes up for renewal again June 26.

Returning troops will start arriving at their homes in mid-April. They are First Battalion, Canadian Guards, Picton, Ont., and a reconnaissance squadron, Lord Strathcona's Horse of Calgary.

The soldiers will be wearing the blue berets of the United Nations and flying the blue UN flag during their stay in a 350-mile area in northern Cyprus.

MEASURES to implement President Johnson's attack on U.S. crime were proposed Monday by Sen. Thomas Dodd, D.-Conn. He would stop mail order sales to individuals of all firearms from small calibre pistols to anti-tank guns and bazookas.

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## Pat Bay Four-Laner May Come This Year

Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi's plan for a \$2 million widening of Patricia Bay Highway this year may grow into full-scale redevelopment of the route.

Mr. Gagliardi Monday said he had sent a request to Ottawa that it share half the cost of "any work done on improving Pat Bay Highway this year."

He said if the federal government did share in the cost, the project would involve "a permanent improvement."

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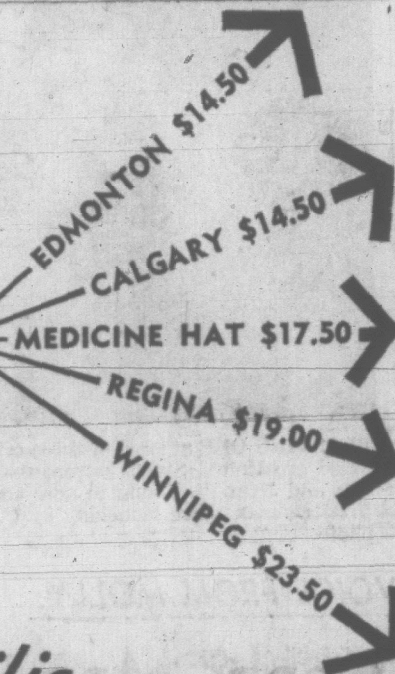
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## DORION

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communication among members of the Cabinet. Even if there were, it was a matter for "internal administration."

The motion that Mr. Pearson be called was advanced by Paul Jolin, New Democratic Party counsel, and supported by Mr. Drouin and Francois Even, Creditiste lawyer.

## OPPOSE MOTION

The motion was opposed by Jules Deschenes, federal government counsel, Gilles Godin, counsel for Andre Letendre, an aide to Justice Minister Favreau, and Francois Chapados, counsel for Liberal organizer Guy Masson.

Mr. Deschenes maintained that any conversations between Mr. Pearson and Mr. Favreau in the case were privileged. Members of the Cabinet were bound by their oath of office and the commission would not be legally justified in calling Mr. Pearson.

Mr. Deschenes said Mr. Jolin's motion was at least premature until Mr. Favreau had appeared.

Argument on the motion, which delayed the inquiry's proceedings, resumed today after a two-week break.

Mr. Jolin said it is essential to give Mr. Pearson an opportunity to explain to the inquiry a letter he submitted last De-

cember referring to the date on which he was advised of RCMP investigations into charges of attempted bribery and coercion by aides to federal cabinet ministers.

He noted that Mr. Pearson told the Commons last November he had been made aware of the investigation only a day or two before but his December letter said he had been advised of it on Sept. 2.

## EXPLANATION USUAL

Mr. Jolin said that it is customary when such a document is submitted to swear in the author and have him explain it.

He also said that he thinks it essential that Mr. Pearson tell the commission how he was informed of the investigation and by whom and what instructions were issued by the prime minister particularly since Mr. Pearson's former parliamentary secretary, Liberal MP Guy Rouleau, was involved.

Mr. Jolin said the public has a right to know what Mr. Pearson's conduct was after he had been informed, adding that surely the prime minister conferred with Justice Minister Favreau and gave him impressions and instructions.

He recalled that Mr. Pearson has already told the Commons that he was prepared to testify if Chief Justice Frederic Dorion invited him to do so.

## WILSON

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expressed "horror and indignation" at United States policy in a cable sent to British Foreign Secretary Michael Stewart in Washington Monday night.

U.S. — supplied South Vietnamese forces have used non-lethal gas against Communists.

The prime minister carefully avoided antagonizing his own left wing or upsetting the U.S., whose policy in Viet Nam his administration has supported.

Wilson told the House Britain had not been told in advance that napalm bombs or gas would be used in Viet Nam.

Conservative Opposition Leader Sir Alec Douglas-Home agreed with the prime minister when he said at the outset that he would prefer to say little about Viet Nam pending the outcome of Stewart's current talks with U.S. President Johnson and state secretary Dean Rusk.

Wilson disclosed that Britain is determined to go ahead on its own initiative to see whether it could help to bring peace to Viet Nam.

Stewart has told U.S. State Secretary Dean Rusk the Soviet Union wants to stay aloof from the Viet Nam war.

Britain's new foreign policy chief was expected to give the

same report to President Johnson today when he called at the White House.

The rigidly negative Soviet attitude on Viet Nam was conveyed in London by Andrei Gromyko, Russia's foreign minister.

The Soviet position does not offer any latitude for diplomatic manoeuvres, Stewart was reported as having told Rusk. This frustrates British hopes to bring about a negotiated peace with Moscow's help.

Moscow radio led off an expected barrage from Communist capitals with a broadcast accusing the United States of "using increasingly barbarous methods — in particular chemical warfare" in Viet Nam.

In Paris, the influential evening newspaper Le Monde takes issue with an unidentified U.S. officer who was quoted as saying one problem is to accustom the public to the idea of employing non-lethal gases.

"The problem is not to 'accustom the public to this idea' but to speak up against the use of methods of warfare even more criticizable than others," Le Monde says. "The Americans now will be badly placed to denounce the forms of warfare taken by the campaign of chief — was expected to give the



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## Tisdalle Backs NDP Bid

Backbenchers John Tisdalle (SC-Saanich) and Alex Matthew (SC-Vancouver Centre) Monday voted with the opposition against the government in the first recorded split at the current session.

The two Socialists stood in a recorded division on an amendment to a bill altering the Insurance Act which was defeated 27 to 19.

The amendment would have required insurance companies

to give personal service of any notice to cancel a client's insurance contract.

It originally was proposed by Mr. Matthew but he withdrew it after Attorney-General Robert Bonner said his department al-

### DIETING TIP

When you go on a diet, clock-watching is a problem. Doctors usually agree to dividing the diet into four meals rather than three.

ready was discussing the situation with insurance companies.

However, after several NDP members argued the proposed amendment would be useful in stopping abuses by insurance companies, Opposition Leader Robert Strachan formally moved the amendment as his own.

After it was defeated by a voice vote, a division was called and Mr. Matthew and Mr. Tisdalle were counted in favor of the amendment along with all opposition members.

## RUSS, FRENCH INK TV PACT

PARIS (Reuters) — France and Russia today signed an agreement to co-operate in putting the French Secam color television system into operation and invited other countries to join them.

The Secam system is in competition with color television systems developed in the United States and West Germany.

## Older Worker Subsidy Halted

OTTAWA (CP)—The labor department has scrapped its program under which Ottawa paid a huge subsidy to employers hiring certain jobless workers 45 and over.

Extension of the program had been in doubt for some months and its cancellation was confirmed in the government's 1965-66 estimates, tabled in the Commons Monday.

It ran for only five months,

Nov. 1, 1963, to March 31, 1964, providing half of the wage or \$75 a month, whichever was less, for those employing workers 45 and over who had exhausted regular unemployment insurance benefits.

The subsidy, paid for up to 12 months, required that a certain amount of job training be provided.

Outlays totalled \$3,951,578 with about \$1,800,000 going into wage

payments and the rest for promotion. About 2,000 workers were hired as a result of the program.

Labor Minister MacEachen was known to be dissatisfied with the results of the program and a year ago ordered a special

GOURMET AUTHOR  
Eleanor Clark is the author of The Oysters of Locmariaquer, the definitive book about French edible oysters.

review of it. Some employer-applicants had complained there was too much red tape involved in getting approval for the subsidy.

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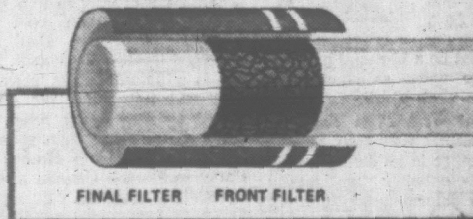
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## Call in the Police

THE REPORTED USE OF incapacitating gas by the United States in the Viet Nam fighting, the continued bombing of northern targets, and U.S. Ambassador Maxwell Taylor's statement that the struggle is probably reaching a decisive point, serve to emphasize to the world the necessity of finding an early solution to the whole powder-barrel situation.

There can be no doubt that the United States government would gladly be released from the terrible dilemma in which it finds itself. To increase the scope of the war would bring the threat of a still wider conflagration involving Red China and possibly Russia. To withdraw, apparently beaten in the field, would open up many new problems—loss of prestige and influence in European affairs, loss of trust among many Afro-Asian states, loss of confidence at home with consequent effects on forthcoming American foreign policy.

None of these developments can be viewed complacently by the United States, nor by its allies. The results of the Viet Nam war must inevitably be felt far beyond the bounds of that tortured area. Yet Washington's efforts to escape a defeat through more vigorous prosecution of the war, may well bring on even greater catastrophes.

As Mr. George Ball, the U.S. undersecretary of state, said last week, many critics "do not seem to understand that what we do in South Viet Nam will have a profound meaning for people in the outposts of freedom..." He went on to say that the only alternative to the presence of the United States in South Viet Nam would be its replacement "through the resumption of world responsibilities by our Western allies."

There is today a growing opinion in the United States that that coun-

try has taken on much more than it should in exerting anti-communist influence in various parts of the globe. There may be excellent arguments in favor of retrenchment in many areas abroad where United States political or economic interests are not directly concerned. But this attitude does not explain just how the U.S. is to disengage from an active battle front or what will fill the vacuum left by its departure.

At this point the plan suggested recently by Prime Minister Pearson takes on practical importance. Mr. Pearson's proposal is that an international authority—either within or outside of the United Nations—should take over the role of peace-keeper in Viet Nam, permitting the withdrawal of all American forces and closing the border between North and South Viet Nam. Such an authority could then apply the terms of the Geneva Agreement of 1954, supervise a free vote by the South Vietnamese and see that they were allowed to carry out their free decision without interference from any other country.

Transference of the whole problem to international auspices could achieve much the same results as similar action did in the case of Suez, when Britain and France urgently needed an opportunity to get out of the impossible position into which they had fallen by their invasion of Egypt.

The Viet Nam operation might be more difficult. But there is reason to believe it would be welcomed by Russia, Red China, America's allies, and particularly by the three combatants—North and South Viet Nam and the United States. Face would be saved as well as world peace. But it will take united action by the great powers—and soon, before the situation gets beyond the point of possible settlement.

## The Feel of Gold

AS READERS OF AN AMUSING column by Mr. Bruce Hutchison several weeks ago will recall, the actual physical movement of large amounts of gold to settle international accounts is not usual.

The bulk of the free world's gold supply is in the custody of the United States Treasury, which keeps it in heavily locked and guarded vaults. Ordinarily when a country with a claim to ownership of some of this gold decides to sell it, the transaction is simply a bookkeeping operation. The gold itself does not leave the vaults but the ownership is transferred to the purchaser.

The usual procedure, however, was not good enough for French President de Gaulle, according to a recent disclosure. When he decided to cash in a large sum of American dollars held in France's foreign reserve fund for gold he was not prepared to accept another piece of paper stating that France was the new owner of some gold.

Instead, some 28,570 gold bars weighing over 242 tons and valued

at \$400 millions were physically removed from the vault and shipped to France. The movement was shrouded in secrecy, of course, but an expert in this business has figured it cost France about \$3 millions in handling, shipping and insurance costs to make the transfer.

Naturally the transaction has roused considerable speculation. Why would France spend \$3 millions to move the gold when for all purposes of international financing it could just as well have stayed where it was? Has Gen. de Gaulle's suspicion of the United States reached the point that he is afraid to leave the gold in American custody? Or is he just stirring up trouble by dramatizing the French view that the United States will be unable to solve its balance of payments problem and thus halt the run on gold?

Whatever purpose the French president had in mind he was willing to pay \$3 millions to accomplish it, and even in these days of huge government spending that is not a sum to be paid out lightly.

## Fewer Jobs in the Woods

LAST SEPTEMBER A VANCOUVER Island high-rigger topped a tree, climbed down the trunk and discussed his dying craft. There wouldn't, he said, be much more high-rigging in British Columbia forests. The job, once the highly-paid "glamor" occupation in the woods, was becoming obsolete as more companies turned to movable, steel columns to replace the natural spar trees.

What has happened to high-rigging serves as an example of changes which technology and the machine have brought to the woods industries.

The International Woodworkers of America drew the point to the attention of the legislative forestry committee the other day. "Our union," said a spokesman, "is not opposed to this increased mechanization, but we cannot ignore the effect on the job security of the workers now employed."

By international standards British Columbia practice in the highly competitive forest industries is usu-

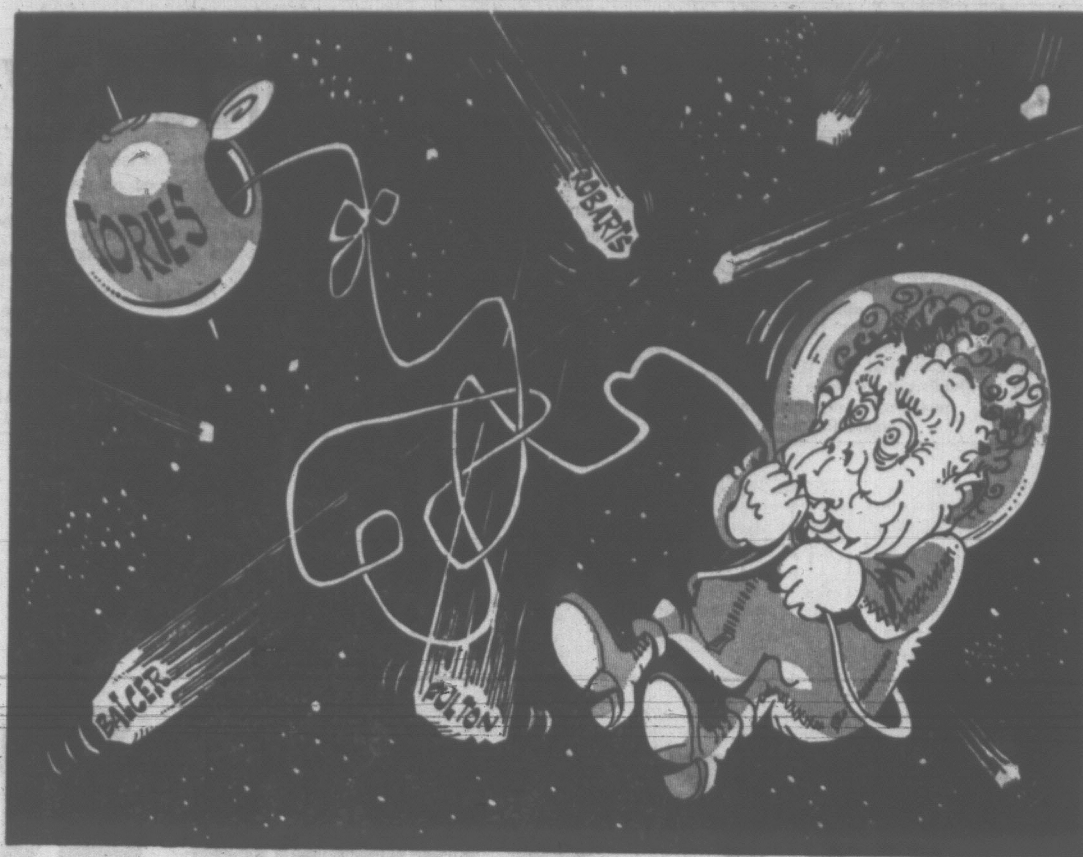
ally efficient. It has to be to ensure its market. And efficiency demands the application of practical technology to its operations.

This offers small comfort to the woods worker when the application takes away his work. Understandably he worries about his bread and butter as equipment displaces men.

This is the usual story of automation. If it stresses any point at all, the point is that our society has to pay a great deal more attention than it does now to the human factor involved. That requires continuous study and the development of occupations essential to absorb the labor force becoming idle.

It is evident, too, that industry, perhaps with government participation, will have to bear a major share of the costs of rehabilitating workers where automation is applied.

Conceivably a partial answer may be found in British Columbia by intensive efforts to create secondary industries. But these, also, have to be able to compete.



... but if the smallest meteorite ... should happen to hit that very thin lifeline ...

## FROM WASHINGTON

By JOSEPH ALSOP

## Still Moving Into South Viet Nam

THE President's policy of sustained pressure on North Viet Nam is primarily, indeed solely, designed to persuade the Communist rulers of Hanoi to let their neighbors alone. It is well and wisely designed. No one should expect results overnight, either, for part of the wisdom of the policy is the careful dosing of the pressure. Nonetheless, it is important to note that instead of beginning to let their neighbors alone, the North Vietnamese are increasing the scale of their infiltration-invasion of South Viet Nam. The dimensions of the increase are by no means easy to gauge. The North Vietnamese soldiers who are assigned to duty in the south come through Laos by the Ho Chi Minh Trail. They move partly by foot, but now quite largely by truck, down the jungle road as far as Tchepone.



Alsop

Thence they cross the border on foot and in small units over devious and obscure trails into the South Vietnamese highlands. And from the highlands they work their way onward to their assigned operational provinces.

### Shadowy

Such troop movement is bound to be shadowy at best. What is really happening now will not be absolutely known until a somewhat later time, when some of the North Vietnamese troops now engaged in this infiltration-invasion have reached the fighting front and have been captured and have been interrogated. Until then the analysts have to use guesswork-measures.

There is at least one important sign, however, that the infiltration-invasion has increased fairly massively. In brief, there are good reasons to believe that a North Vietnamese divisional headquarters, or at any rate some sort of new higher headquarters, has lately been established on South Vietnamese soil, in a mountain hide-out close to the Laotian border.

The increase in scale of the infiltra-

tion-invasion is a matter for serious concern because of the extremely narrow military balance that now exists in the first and second corps areas—the provinces of north and central South Viet Nam. Very large numbers of additional North Vietnamese troops, assigned to one of these precariously balanced provinces, could in theory upset the local balance in a dramatic manner.

A dramatic victory, not militarily decisive but politically decisive because of its grave psychological repercussions, is in fact the specialty of the brilliant North Vietnamese commander, Gen. Vo Nguyen Giap. That was what he pulled off at Dienbienphu. That, perhaps, is what he is now aiming for again.

The additional bodies provided by the increased infiltration-invasion may well be intended by Giap as the human raw material for a Dienbienphu-like effort in some such province as Quang Ngai. This does not mean, however, that the Presi-

dent's policy of sustained pressure is not working.

The contrary is probably the case. Most probably, in fact, the adoption of the policy of sustained pressure has got Giap and his fellow policy-makers in Hanoi to accelerate their timetables and to make a desperate effort to administer the coup de grace before the moment is quite ripe.

As long as the sustained pressure on North Viet Nam is also to be carefully dosed pressure—for which there are many good reasons—a last desperate North Vietnamese effort to administer a coup de grace in the south must, of course, be expected. Dosed pressure will only get results when such an effort has failed, or when the doses become unbearably heavy.

### Giap Prespects

The question is, quite simply, whether Gen. Giap has much chance of success in his apparent aim. The answer comes in two parts. On the one hand, South Vietnam's morale is undoubtedly immeasurably higher since the direct American attacks on the north began. Above all, intrigue-sponsored defections or neutralist postures are much less likely in the army now that there is a little light showing at the end of the tunnel.

On the other hand, the central reserve of the South Vietnamese is alarmingly slender. In province after province, in all the corps areas, the defending forces are already committed to the hilt. A larger central reserve may well be needed to deal with the kind of local emergencies that Gen. Giap specializes in creating.

The need is reduced, to be sure, but it may not be absolutely eliminated by the constantly increasing mobility American aid is providing. With 600,000 men under arms already, the North Vietnamese can hardly meet the need themselves. Such is the case (as yet not adjudicated) for a modest additional commitment of U.S. ground forces to assure base security, but above all to beef up the central reserve.

## Famous

## Last Words

Pietro Vannucci Perugino (1446-1523)

Oils and frescos of Raphael's teacher are treasures of Florentine museums, Rome's Sistine Chapel and London's National Gallery. Urged on by his deathbed to summon a priest, Perugino replied: "No, I am curious to learn what happens in the next world to one who dies unshriven."

James David Maxwell (1855-1907)

Father of famed hostess Elsa Maxwell, he died advising her: "Never be afraid of 'they.' People are more afraid of 'they' than anything in life—what 'they' might say, 'they' might do, 'they' mightn't like. And always laugh at yourself first—the laughter of others falls off harmlessly as if you were in golden armor."

## INSIDE THE OTTAWA TURMOIL

## The Critical Problem: To Find a Lieutenant in Quebec

ON THE DAY of its birth, in 1957, the Diefenbaker government was doomed to a short life by a single fact: It lacked and did not even try to find a Quebec leader. Today the Pearson government faces the same problem and the same risks but in very different circumstances. From the beginning the prime minister has sought desperately, sometimes despairingly, for a French Canadian coalition partner, knowing that the political system must be a bi-racial partnership if it is to work satisfactorily—indeed, if it is to work at all.



Hutchison

So far, Mr. Pearson has not succeeded in his quest. Certainly he can carry most of Quebec in an election, only because Mr. Diefenbaker has totally alienated it, but electoral victory will not solve the real problem. If he is to have any chance of uniting the nation, Mr. Pearson must secure not merely the votes but the confidence of the French Canadian people and he can reach them only through a leader of their own race whom they fully trust.

### Missing Man

There is no such leader in Ottawa now. Mr. Pearson's first choice, Mr. Lamontagne, and his second choice, Mr. Favreau, have both failed to win Quebec's confidence. For all their high abilities outside practical politics they can never provide the missing element in the necessary coalition. And for all his efforts, Mr. Pearson finds a gaping vacuum not merely in his cabinet but in his design for national unity.

The vacuum must soon be filled and there is no one to fill it except Mr. Sauve who manages the forestry department with his left hand and, with his right, commands the loyalty of a new generation in Quebec Liberalism.

Mr. Sauve is the rising man of French Canada, for the moment anyway. He has risen so fast that his friends already regard him as something like a second Laurier and his numerous enemies hope that he will trip over his boundless ambition.

This remarkable personage holds some of the surest passports to success. His tall, athletic figure; his ruddy, boyish face, his flawless English, his educa-

tion in Canada, France and Britain; his unquestioned personal honesty and, above all, his passionate revolt against the old Liberal machine of Quebec give him all the outward equipment of leadership.

But does he know how to use his undoubted gifts? Has he the patience to await the knock of opportunity? In short, has a man in his early forties the wisdom that usually comes only with age? Or, in his haste, will he consolidate the Old Guard, antagonize the federal cabinet and crush a promising career in the bud?

The next few weeks should give a preliminary answer to that question. For clearly Mr. Pearson must soon decide whether Mr. Sauve shall become his accepted Quebec lieutenant. If the decision is affirmative, as seems probable, that will not settle the deeper issues raised by the young rebel. Mr. Sauve seeks much more than personal power. He is determined to cleanse the Liberal Party in French Canada after its recent nauseating scandals.

In promoting him Mr. Pearson would risk the fury of some honest French Canadian Liberals, including several cabinet colleagues, but he would begin his most urgent task. It is to prove throughout the nation that his government has finally decided to deal with the mess in Quebec.

The time for decision is rapidly running out. Mr. Pearson may be driven into an election during the next few weeks or days. In any event, the natural alternatives to Mr. Sauve have been explored and exhausted.

Premier Lesage, though ardently invited, refuses to join the federal government as Quebec's ambassador, his hands being full of cabinet quarrels at home. None of his lieutenants is willing to move to Ottawa. Except for Mr. Sauve, whose capacities have yet to be tested at the summit, all Quebec's political talent is concentrated for the present in provincial government. That fact is the core of Mr. Pearson's basic dilemma, as it was

the primary cause of Mr. Diefenbaker's ruin.

If Mr. Sauve is chosen to fill the vacuum he will bring with him an understanding of the nation as a whole possessed by few leaders of his race.

Those who have watched his sudden ascent will have noted that he has never uttered a word of anger against English-speaking Canadians. Like all his people, he is dissatisfied with Quebec's place in Confederation but, unlike most of them, he sees that Quebec is responsible for much of its own trouble.

In his mind the theory of separation is palpable nonsense, the surest method of drowning French Canadian identity in the Anglo-Saxon sea of North America. He believes in the largest practical autonomy for his province and all the others but also in a strong central government managing those national functions that cannot be delegated to any other authority. The true solution, as he sees it, is to re-define the blurred federal and provincial jurisdictions and then allow both levels of government to operate at maximum strength.

Ideologically, Mr. Sauve is said to stand left of centre and perhaps he does, but not very far. A graduate economist (as well as a lawyer), he has little use for socialism, if that means state ownership. As his speeches show, he thinks that private enterprise should be given its head, that the state should intervene in the economy, and intervene boldly, where the need of intervention is demonstrated and not otherwise. This reasoning underlies his imaginative plans, as minister of forestry, to reorganize the decaying structure of life on the marginal Canadian farm.

### Opposite Assessments

In Ottawa you will hear two flatly opposite versions of this ebullient creature. One of the capital's most acute observers told me that Mr. Sauve was the inevitable prime minister in some future day. A major Quebec politician, on the other hand, said that Mr. Sauve's ruthless climb to power had affronted so many good men that in the end they would combine to destroy him.

At any rate, the enfant terrible of Quebec will not stand still. For him, on the issue of political honesty, it is make or break. As another report will explain, however, the approaching election will involve decisions, and dangers, much larger than Mr. Sauve or any other personality.

## Letters

### Preserve Park Land

I wish to endorse most emphatically Dr. David Turner's suggestion that Centennial funds be used to acquire parklands in the Capital Region.

In the report on Land Use Planning in this region, which I presented to the councils of Greater Victoria in November, 1963, I stressed that the immediate acquisition of these recreational areas was one of the most urgent problems facing the region.

In the Capital Region Plan of 1959 23 of these sites were suggested for public ownership as regional parks. It is a lamentable fact that in the interim only four (Fort Rodd Hill, Sidney Coastal Park, John Dean extension and Island View Beach) have been preserved whilst seven have already been lost to private development.

At this rate, within a very few years, we shall be faced with a population of 250,000 and no recreational areas to accommodate them.

The Provincial Government, through Mr. Kiernan, has now offered to share one-third the cost of acquiring these areas. It now clearly falls to municipal leadership to follow this encouraging gesture with speedy action.

Finally, let me stress that while auditoriums, athletic parks and the like can be developed at any time, once parklands pass to private development they are lost for good. The cost of acquisition simply becomes too high for the public purse.

Let us hope that this last great opportunity to preserve for ever, and for posterity's enjoyment, the prime beauty spots of this lovely region will not be lost through lack of vision or through timidity. Mayor R. B. Wilson's initial reaction is most encouraging. Let us pray it finds an echo among responsible citizens throughout the area.

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### Official Languages

It is disturbing to see the demand of Quebec French Canadians to the right to have us recognize the French language officially.

French Canadians should be reminded of the other three nationalities who might have the right to their language being used in Canada, i.e., German, Italian and Ukrainian. It would be interesting to know if French Canadians outnumber these three who do not ask for language recognition.

X. Y. Z.

Editor's Note: The correspondent appears to overlook the fact that English and French are official languages in Canada, and that French-speaking Canadians do not have to insist on official acceptance of their tongue. It already has that acceptance.

### Ruthlessness in Viet Nam

The U.S. is acting in Viet Nam with a ruthless disregard for the suffering of the people there. Nothing can be more sickening than such an act in the name of "justice" and defending "the right". Where is the justice for the people of Viet Nam, bombed and driven from their homes.

Where now is that regard for law and order that characterized the President's action on Selma? It is time free people everywhere spoke up loudly against this brutal assault.

If the U.S. considers herself an enlightened, civilized nation, concerned with the preservation of freedom and the protection of the rights of others and wants to be considered as such, then she should act like one.

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## By BRUCE HUTCHISON

### DENNIS THE MENACE



"Oh, sure, I 'member! That red thing with the handle! It's in my toy box."

### Looking Back

From The Times of March 23, 1890:

A lively runaway created quite a stir at the corner of Douglas and Fort Streets. A team of horses attached to a buggy dashed down Fort Street and ran into a veranda post at Campbell's drug store. The post and rig were damaged considerably. No one was injured, luckily. The team was rapidly secured by a number of persons before further damage was done.



ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

# A Voice That Is Stilled

MY travelling companion coming down from the first Christmas present I gave my bride—a console radio that cost more than I could afford at the time, but acquired because a friend could get it for me wholesale.

We retired the old radio years ago after long and faithful service. Then, when electricity came to Shawnigan, we took it to an electronics doctor, had it rejuvenated and packed the instrument to the Lake—as we take most furniture for which there isn't house room in town.

"Good tone," I told Pat when we hooked it up.

"Excellent tone," she agreed.

And in the shack, on Saturday evenings during the off-seasons, we have been listening to our friend, and finding that television didn't actually push the earlier medium completely into the discard.

Last night, while the eye still glowed bright, the voice was stilled.

"No tone," I said to Pat.

"Self-evident," she replied.

So I unbolts the innards from the cabinet, complete with the speaker, and packed them into a carton.

Anyone but a packrat such as I would know what to do with the old set. He'd cart it to the Goodwill and suggest they might find some useable parts in it. But somehow I can't quite break the sentimental tie that has grown between the instrument and us.

This was the set on which we listened occasionally to Amos 'n' Andy. Through its speaker came World Series games when Graham McNamee was demonstrating by trial and error how to, and how not to, broadcast a ball game.

We listened through it to a young Foster Hewitt handling hockey games in which one team was the Toronto Maple Leafs and the other he frequently got to mention.

We followed the Blue Ribbons and the Dominions on the road with the set's help, sitting with inexpensive libations and second-guessing both referees and coaches as our boys made their way to championship.

It was still going during the war years when Franklin D. Roosevelt used to greet us—"My frans . . . and when Winston Churchill rolled out his marching prose.

A young son in later years used to wrap himself in a sleeping bag on the livingroom floor to listen to a Queen's message early in the morning—"My sister and I . . ."

Ben Bernie used to come booming in with his top-ranking orchestra, "Yowza, Yowza," and Kay Kaiser opened his College of Musical Knowledge while the set was still in the bloom of youth.

We'd hurry through an early Sunday dinner to listen to Eddie Cantor "making whoopee" with his guest artists, and later to a new-comer called Jack Benny with Rochester. Somewhere in there we heard about the "pickle in the middle and the mustard on top."

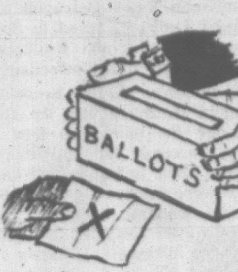
When the instrument was new we'd remark to friends that it had both shortwave and a band for police calls. Why anybody'd want to listen to police calls, I can't say now, but it seemed important at the time.

And the shortwave gave you nothing superior to conventional broadcasts, though it was said that if you waited up until 1 or 2 in the morning you sometimes heard Mexico signing off with a song in which a female vocalist used a very impolite word. I could never stay awake that long.

I look at the pile of junk in my carton and realize that I ought to give it away. But at the thought of parting, the old set rises in the nostalgic image of that "house by the side of the road," which by Grace McInnes's phrase "the races of man marched through."

Maybe the radio doctor can fix it up for just one more go around before it too info Goodwill descends.

## FIRST CALL with Bonnets



# Britain Fights To Halt Decline As World Power

Once the undisputed leader of the world, Britain has fallen on sad days, her diplomatic influence diminished, her industrial plant second rate. The following first of four articles by an Associated Press staff writer shows some of the reasons for Britain's decline as a world power.

By TOM OCHILTREE

LONDON (AP)—Not since they stood alone in the early days of the Second World War have the British felt so exposed as now.

They have discovered their country is the most vulnerable of the world's major industrial powers.

Yet it seems only the day before yesterday when Britain was a dominant power with a world-girdling empire of 16,000,000 square miles.

Now the Empire has been replaced by a loose Commonwealth of independent nations which make their own decisions. Britain has to fight harder each year to export her goods overseas. Successive British govern-

ments find it increasingly difficult to pay for a first-line military establishment.

Individually the British people now are more prosperous than they were in the days of Empire. They eat better, wear better clothes and have more amusements. Consumer expenditure increased by 22 per cent between 1956 and 1963.

Yet economists worry about the long-range prospects of this island kingdom and about the stability of its currency, the pound sterling.

causes for the country's troubles use phrases like "laziness," "incompetence," "national narcissism" and "unwillingness to face reality."

Sometimes to an outsider the self-criticism seems to go too far.

This country has produced 44 Nobel Prize winners for science in this century. It remains a fertile garden for the growth of new ideas in the arts, sciences and the field of human relationships.

Visitors to Britain are struck by the politeness of everyday life, the honesty of those who serve them and the appealing shyness of the British to be friendly.

Then came the First World War with its casualties and the beginning of a long march of peoples away from British rule.

The two big wars put Britain in the position of a once wealthy man who has run through a great deal of his money. The situation could have been reversed if British industrial production and exports had advanced but at a slower rate than most of the industrial countries.

Like many before them, the British found that loss of wealth brought loss of influence. This was masked in recent years, however, by the skill of British diplomacy—by the ability to use words and ideas skillfully enough to hold on to a sizeable role in international affairs.

But two political earthquakes rocked this position. The first was the abortive Suez invasion of 1956 when world public opinion forced the British and French to call a halt to their operations against President Gamal Abdel Nasser of Egypt.

The second setback came on January 29, 1963, in Brussels. That was the day President de Gaulle's France vetoed Britain's application to enter the six-nation Common Market, a trade grouping which aims at some form of political unification of western Europe.

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# HARD CASH FOR ARMS SPARKS BRITISH MOVE FOR ALLIANCE

By FLORA LEWIS

LONDON—The growing efforts of western powers to export arms for purely financial reasons has begun to create an intricate new set of political problems in the Atlantic alliance.

The difficulties are not yet acute and therefore have not yet reached the stage of full public or top-level discussion.

But some diplomats and technicians whose job it is to discern future problems in the seed stage before they sprout into weedy jungles are worried at the trends they see.

Talks with British, French, German and American officials who follow closely the complex of political-military alliance problems have shown much agreement on the pitfalls ahead, though solutions are quite another matter.

There is a kind of historic spiral in the way the economic value of arms exports has begun again to influence policy.

Before the First World War, big private manufacturers—the Vickers, Krupp, Skodas of the world—competed fiercely for foreign sales and encouraged an armaments race that helped turn political tugs-of-war among nations into hot war.

Circle Turns

Between the two world wars, the popular revulsion against these activities was so great that nations were persuaded not to arm themselves and their friends against clear danger.

Now the circle has turned once more and governments are competing on arms sales for the sake of strengthening their currency.

The clearest and most immediate example of the development is the competition among the U.S., France and Britain for weapons orders from West Germany.

The French have not done well, despite provisions for joint weapons programs in the Franco-German treaty. The British have failed almost completely.

There is a fundamental technological reason, apart from the political and psychological reasons that give the U.S. an advantage in the enormous field of NATO weapons procurement.

Britain and France, taken together, spend about one-tenth what the U.S. spends on research and development.

stocked with current weapons. They are not interested in the versions one or two steps forward which the British want to offer.

Bonn is determined to be ultra-modern. Its interest is in the completely new generation of arms still on the drawing board, and its military men do not want to commit their funds to an expensive intermediate arsenal that may be obsolete by delivery date.

But at this point only the U.S. has the resources to indulge in such futurism with any confidence of success.

Another aspect of the arms sale problem which is beginning to trouble the alliance outside of its own territory is the problem of disposal. Obsolete weapons have to be gotten rid of just as guns do, and the initial investment is so great that where possible there is a strong urge to sell. They cannot be traded in.

Proposed Pattern

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## Gerald Waring

# ...REPORTING

OTTAWA—Prime Minister Pearson's ready acceptance of much of the program for parliamentary reform proposed by a special Commons committee underlines growing concern for Parliament's public image.

There is a certain scepticism in public opinion in all countries where there are parliamentary institutions," the PM said, "as to the ability of those institutions to deal with the new problems of a new age."

In other words, Parliament has a public relations problem.

As any PR man worthy of his retainer will tell you, the way to good PR to a resplendent public image is not to try to sell the public a line of hokum. Rather, it is to persuade the client to make such changes as to earn him the kind of public approbation he desires. And that is what the committee is trying to do.

This committee blueprinted a new kind of Commons that would delegate responsibility for scrutinizing spending and examining legislation to nine permanent committees. These committees would have far-reaching powers and would operate practically independently of the Commons, although subservient to it.

Government acceptance of such changes is vital to their implementation, and Mr. Pearson gave his full approval to the proposal to reorganize and strengthen the committee system.

Of another suggestion he was less than enthusiastic. That is to adjourn the House for a fortnight periodically to allow committees to sit full-time, to allow individual MPs an occasional one-week rotational leave to conduct constituency business, and to free ministers for fortnightly periods from time-consuming daily attendance upon the Commons. Too rigid, the PM said.

The committee's over-all aim is to make the Commons more efficient, more effective, better able to cope with its four great responsibilities: (1) to examine government spending proposals; (2) to check on money spent; (3) to exercise control over the government; and (4) to enact legislation.

Achievement of this objective in any large degree would make the Commons more powerful in relation to the cabinet.

Whether the Commons could, by growing muscular committee tentacles, reverse the trend of decades is an interesting thought, and one which seems to trouble some cabinet ministers who already see the atrophy of cabinet power in the growth of the system of federal-provincial conferences. As Finance Minister Gordon pointed out only the other day, there have been 25 such intergovernmental conferences since the Liberals took office less than two years ago.

But success in making Parliament more effective need not and should not produce a power struggle between the executive and the legislature. Our system now grossly overtaxes the cabinet, yet fails to make use of good intellects in the back benches on both sides of the House—MPs like Baldwin, Groos, Brewin, Colin Cameron, Deachman, Scott, Orlinow and a score of others.

As federal-provincial conferences give us consultative government, so a more effective Commons would also contribute to consultative government. And as Sacred leader Thompson declared last week, if ever there was a time when we needed consultative government, approaching our problems from as many angles as possible, it is now.

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS

Cold dry Arctic air covers the entire province as a result overnight lows were near to zero mark in the Cariboo and in the high 20s and low 30s along the coast. Only a few protected stations near the sea escaped the frost. No immediate change is foreseen in the present pattern of bright sunny days and crisp cool nights in B.C.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE 9 A.M. FORECASTS Valid Until Midnight Wednesday

Victoria: Sunny today and Wednesday. Little change in temperature. Light winds occasionally rising to northerly 15 today. Low tonight and high Wednesday 35 and 48.

Vancouver-Georgia Strait: Sunny today and Wednesday. A little colder tonight. Light winds except northeast 15 in mainland inlets. Low tonight and high

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West Coast: Sunny today and Wednesday. A few fog patches Wednesday morning. Light winds. Low tonight and high Wednesday at Estevan Point 35 and 48.

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World temperatures (based on observations taken at midnight, PST): London 32, Rome 46, Berlin 28, Moscow 30, Madrid 46.

U.S. temperatures (highest readings for Monday): Anchorage 48, Las Vegas 75, New York 40, Phoenix 73, Washington 54, Honolulu 77, Miami 75.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine, Mar. 186.0 hrs. Last Mar. 69.2 hrs. Normal (30 yrs.) 101.8 hrs. Sunshine, 1965 305.5 hrs. Last year 261.8 hrs. Normal (30 yrs.) 268.5 hrs. Precip., Mar. .09 ins. Last Mar. 1.95 ins. Normal (30 yrs.) 1.82 ins. Precip., 1965 .83 ins. Last year .97 ins. Normal (30 yrs.) .93 ins.

Sunrise, Sunset Wednesday (Pacific Standard Time)

Sunrise 6:08, Sunset 18:33

TIDES AT VICTORIA

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# FAITH HEALING RIDICULED IN UNITED CHURCH REPORT

TORONTO (CP)—So-called "faith healing" is not a "legitimate ministry of the church" and should be "actively discouraged," says a report to the United Church of Canada on the Christian churches' ministry of healing.

Written by Rev. Mervyn Dickinson, one of the 12-member committee appointed to explore the healing ministry, the report blasts modern "faith-healers" and accuses them of making seven major mistakes:

● "The practice of almost all faith-healers is based on the assumption that sickness is due either to the work of Satan or to the sin of man, and that healing is always God's reward for faithful obedience . . . This is a highly questionable if not dangerous assumption."

● "Faith healing rests also on the equally dubious assumption that there is a difference between natural and supernatural healing . . ."

● "Sufficient evidence has been accumulated to indicate that the claims of faith-healers

are not always to be trusted. Some reports of healings are so bizarre and fantastic as to raise the doubts of any reasonable man, while in other instances actual cases of fraud have been revealed."

SOME AUTHENTIC

● "We recognize that, in a small number of cases, authentic healings do take place . . . presumably because the faith-healer has stumbled upon, certain psychosomatic mentally-induced principles which govern the relative health or illness of man. It seems likely, however, that the same healings could be effected through the work of a physician or psychotherapist without the dangers which accompany the methods of the faith-healers."

● "While acknowledging that a few people do find healing in this way, it is difficult to exaggerate the spiritual agony and heartbreak which is suffered by the multitudes who are not

healed . . . The last state of such persons may be worse than the first."

● "Many faith-healers openly disparage the role of the doctor and fanatically oppose the use of medicine."

● "Finally, there is the fact that the enormous sums of money contributed to the work of faith healing could be invested in some more helpful cause."

# New V. Nam Weapon 'Not Like Nerve Gas'

By FRED S. HOFFMAN

WASHINGTON (AP)—The non-lethal gas used in South Viet Nam is a compound of chemical agents of a type the U.S. Army has employed for about 40 years, defence officials said today.

In one form or another, the tear gas has been sniffed by millions of American soldiers in the course of gas-mask drills, officials said.

It is unrelated to the highly secret nerve gases and incapacitating agents the United States has developed and stockpiled.

Officials said similar tear gases, which bring on nausea and vomiting and disable a person temporarily, have been used by police departments and are available commercially.

It was reported that compounds similar to those used in South Viet Nam against the Viet Cong have been brought into play in connection with racial disturbances in the United States.

USED ON GUERRILLAS

The state department said Monday that South Vietnamese forces have used tear gas where Communist guerrillas had mingled with villagers. The Pentagon said the gas was supplied by the United States.



# Freedom Marchers At Halfway Point

SELMA, Ala. (AP) — Rain dampened 300 marchers as they started the third day of their 50-mile civil rights pilgrimage to Montgomery today through swampy, rural Lowndes County minus Negro leader Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

King left the pasture campsite Monday night and returned to Selma for a staff conference before departing for Cleveland, Ohio, and a program honoring him. He planned to return Wednesday or Thursday.

A light rain fell as the marchers broke camp at 9 a.m. Ahead was about 25 miles of highway in the Negro right-to-vote march begun Sunday at Selma.

The plan calls for thousands to join the final leg into Montgomery, Thursday.

Taking King's place at the head of the line were John Lewis, chairman of the Student Non-Violent Co-ordinating Committee; Albert Turner, a Negro leader from Marion; and George Fowler of the New York Commission on Human Rights.

Thousands of marchers left Selma Sunday, but the number was cut Monday at the end of a four-lane position of well-travelled U.S. Highway 80, as directed by U.S. District Judge Frank M. Johnson.

Johnson's order permitted the 50-mile trek to Montgomery.

The number will increase for the final leg into Montgomery, when the highway becomes four lanes again. By order of the judge, the marchers must reach the Alabama capitol building by 5 p.m. Thursday.

The 300 marchers were almost to the halfway point when they bedded down under big tents in a pasture near the Big Swamp of Lowndes County, a fertile land dotted with herds of white-faced hereford and black Angus cattle.

The path ahead for today along the two-lane highway includes deep water on both sides of the road for a mile and a half. This is the Big Swamp.

## WORSER THAN HELL

Although Lowndes County was described by one Negro minister as "worse than hell," the only trouble encountered by the marchers so far has been foot blisters. They walked 17 miles Monday and plan to cover 20 today.

While they marched, there were these other developments on the racial scene:

1. In Washington, Senate leaders said if President Johnson's voting rights bill — aimed at solving Negro grievances — is not passed by April 15, senators will forfeit their Easter recess. Johnson continues to follow progress of the march.

2. In Cleveland, leaders of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People launch a prospective nationwide drive against alleged discrimination on federal building projects.

3. Six bullet holes were found in a Bogalusa, La., building that houses the transmitter of radio station WBOX, whose owner claims the Ku Klux Klan is trying to drive him out of town.

4. At Independence, Mo., former president Harry Truman termed "silly" the Selma-Montgomery march. "They can't accomplish a damned thing," he said, "all they want is to attract attention."

5. A stained glass window worth \$2,520 left Cardiff, Wales, by cargo boat as a gift for a Negro church bombed in Birmingham, Ala., in 1963. The bombing killed four Negro children.

6. Six white civil rights pickets were arrested at the capitol in Montgomery after refusing to obey police orders to leave the street, where they had sat after being denied permission to picket in front of the capitol.

## WIFE JOINS KING

The leader of the march, Dr. Martin Luther King, was joined Monday by his wife.

Alabama National Guardsmen, under federal orders, and army troops accompanied the marchers, and at nightfall they rained the camp again.

King, and the other marchers, also saw billboards showing him at a former inter-racial school in Tennessee. The caption reads: "Martin Luther King at Communist training school."

King called the billboards an attempt to smear the civil rights movement. He said he believes the billboards refer to the Highlander Folk School at Monteagle, Tenn., which was closed several years ago.

Ned Touchstone, secretary of the Citizens Council of Louisiana, Inc., said his group plans to put up 807 of the billboards throughout the United States.



**ACHING FEET** bothered Dr. Martin Luther King, leading a 54-mile civil rights march from Selma, Ala., to state capital of Montgomery, like many others of the group. Dr. King eases on a shoe after roadside rest during second day. (AP Wirephoto.)

## ARMED FORCES

# Maintenance Costs Reduced

OTTAWA (CP) — The defence department has managed to reverse a years-long trend by reducing slightly the housekeeping costs of the Canadian armed forces.

Government estimates of expenditures in the 1965-66 fiscal year, tabled Monday in the Commons, show that the defence department plans to spend \$1,550,000,000, a slight increase over the 1964-65 total of \$1,533,634,783.

Of the 1965-66 defence outlay, \$1,226,253,000 is earmarked for operations and maintenance compared with \$1,232,965,783 in 1964-65. At the same time capital expenditures are forecast to rise to \$323,747,000 from \$300,669,000.

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The reduced operations and maintenance budget includes \$29,000,000 for recently announced pay increases for Canada's 120,000 servicemen.

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## Spinster Embezzler Paroled

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) — Minnie Mangum, 67, who embezzled millions from a savings and loan company to support her lavish gift-giving, has been paroled after serving nearly nine years of a 20-year prison sentence.

The picture of Miss Mangum as a kindly, middle-aged spinster philanthropist was blotted out suddenly in December, 1955, when auditors made a surprise visit to the Commonwealth Savings and Loan Association and spent a week-end going over her books.

They uncovered shortages that approached \$3,000,000. They said the money was taken over a period of nearly 20 years by the woman who rose to assistant-secretary-treasurer of the firm.

The federal government entered suits to recover embezzled funds Miss Mangum had parcelled out to a number of friends and relatives—many of which were settled out of court. The Savings and Loan Company folded.

## KITCHEN CURIO

British grocers cannot think why the Scots eat an average of 4 ounces of canned soup a week, and the English only 2½ ounces.

# Cosmonauts Face Official Hugs

MOSCOW (CP) — Soviet spacemen Pavel Belyayev and Alexei Leonov arrived in Moscow today for the traditional welcome given to cosmonauts.

Communist Party Secretary Leonid Brezhnev was the first to hug the pair, who flew in orbit around the earth last week. Then Belyayev and Leonov were hugged by other top Soviet leaders, including Premier Alexei Kosygin, President Anastas Mikoyan, and party executives Nikolai Podgorny and Mikhail Suslov.

Belyayev, the commander of the spaceship Voskhod II, and Leonov, the first man to walk in outer space, were flown by special airliner from the space centre at Baikonur, Kazakhstan, central Asia, where they took off last Thursday on their historic flight.

Waiting with the Kremlin leaders at the airport were the cosmonauts' wives, Leonov's parents, their Soviet predecessors in space, foreign diplomats, journalists and nearly 2,000 Muscovites.

Thousands lined the 19 miles from Vnukovo Airport to Red Square, where more thousands waited to cheer the new heroes' appearance atop Lenin's Tomb.

## REPORTS EXPERIMENT

The two space travellers marched from their plane to a

platform on which the leaders awaited them. As they saluted, Belyayev reported:

"The experiment in leaving the ship in cosmic space has been fulfilled. The crew feels excellent and is ready to fulfill any task assigned to it by the Communist party and government."

Brezhnev appeared moved to tears as Alexei Leonov described the beauty of the Soviet Union as he saw it while taking his 10-minute stroll in space.

Brezhnev wiped his eyes and then turned his back and appeared to blow his nose after Leonov, co-pilot of the spaceship Voskhod II, told the thousands gathered in Red Square:

"It was looking at all this beauty and thinking how good it would be to have a real artist here."

Children rushed forward to present flowers to the heroes. Then Leonov, his arms already full of bouquets, stooped down to receive a special bunch, from his fair-haired, three-year-old daughter, Viktoria.

Leonov's father wiped tears from his eyes.

Belyayev and Leonov wore their officers' dress uniforms. After the 20-minute ceremony at the airport, the cosmonauts entered a flower-filled convertible for the drive into the city. Their wives sat behind them.

## Mid-Way Point In Mars Flight

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Mariner 4 spacecraft Monday passed the midway point in time on its 228-day flight to Mars.

The craft was launched 114 days ago on Nov. 28, 1964. On July 14 it will pass within 5,500 miles of Mars and attempt to take and transmit 21 television photographs of the planet.

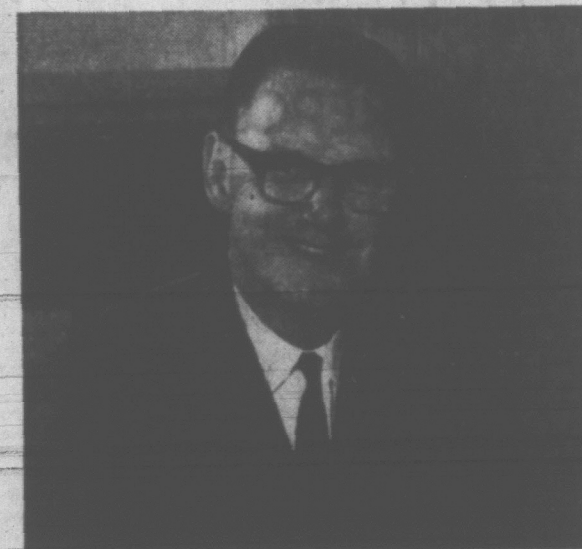
As of 3 a.m. EST today, Mariner had covered 163.7 million miles of its 325 million-mile voyage.

# "How do you like your Electric Heating?"

We asked Mr. A. E. Bowers of Victoria ... Mr. J. A. Young of Burnaby...

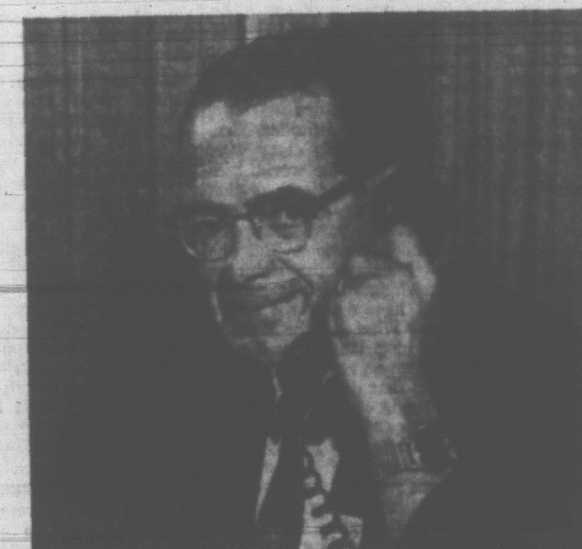


We asked Mr. Bowers, as an architect would you recommend electric heating for your clients? "Very definitely. Based on my own experience, I'm sure that with the present rates it's the most economical way to heat in B.C. And electric heating gives greater freedom in home design and planning."

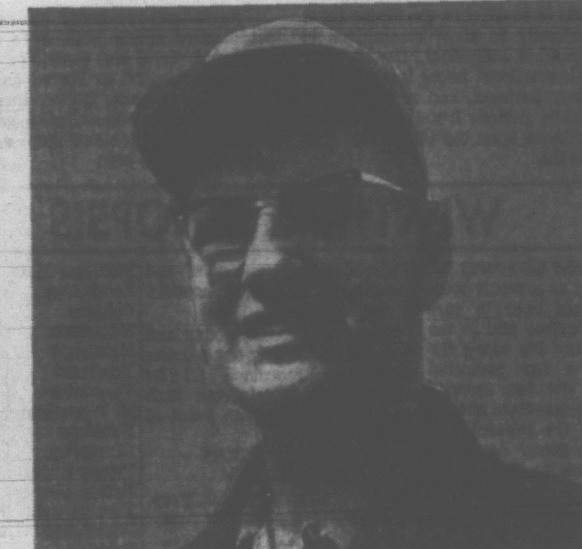


Mr. Young said: "We had heard that electric heating was expensive. But we haven't found it that way. And we've spent no money on maintenance at all in the six years that we've been here." How about room-by-room temperature control? "This is a real advantage."

Mr. R. M. Williamson of Prince George...and Mr. R. G. Ganzeveld of Vernon



Mr. Williamson summed up his experience with electric heating this way. "It's quiet. It's particularly clean. And I think it's as low in cost as any other fuel I've been used to in Prince George." Maintenance? "It's been nil up to this point."



Asked why he chose electric heating, Mr. Ganzeveld said: "It's a very clean type of heating and easy to install. And the heat is even. This we really like."

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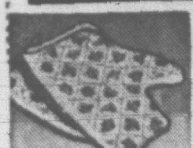
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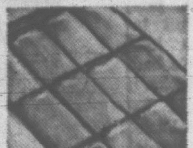
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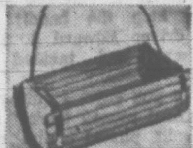
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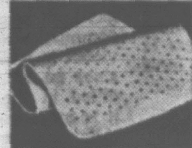
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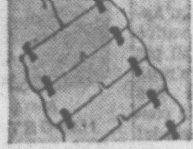
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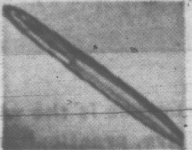
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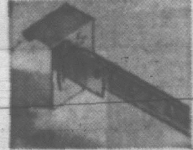
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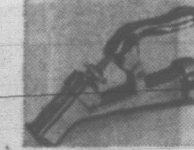
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Pistol grip nozzle, instant action. Fits all standard hose couplings.  
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39. Zip Wax  
Waxes as it washes. 20-oz. can of Turtle wax polish.  
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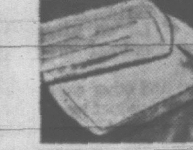
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Sturdy, all-metal flashlight. Complete with batteries.  
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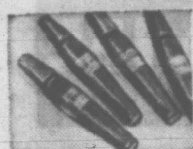
58. Can Opener  
With magnetic lid lifter. Wall mount with 3-position swing adjustment.  
Sale Price, each 88¢



74. Bowl Set  
3 Fireking bowls and 1 8-oz. measuring cup. 4", 6", 7" bowls.  
Sale Price, set 88¢



82. Cake Pan  
Covered bake-n-serve pan. Keeps cakes fresh and moist. 9"x13"x2".  
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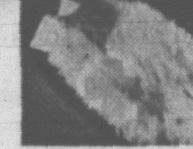
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Candle burns 100 hours, air freshener added to wax.  
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No. 1 mixture, all purpose, hard-wearing blend. 1 1/2 lb. bag.  
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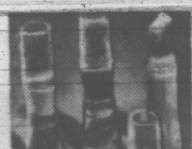
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California ceramic ashtrays in various sizes and shapes.  
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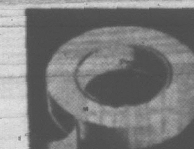
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Tiny Tot stapler... sturdy household size.  
Sale Price 88¢



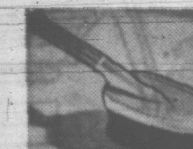
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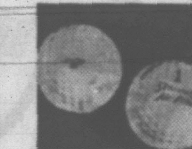
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60-yard roll, 1" wide. For general home use.  
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41. Car Brush  
Will not scratch finish. On-off water control coupling. Fits standard 1/2" hose.  
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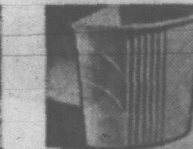
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Dunlop 65, Spalding Air-Flyte, Slazenger. Your choice.  
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68. Toilet Brush  
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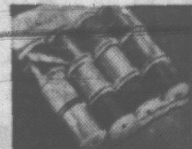
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Strawflower design etched on clear glass.  
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84. Waste Basket  
Tri-corner waste basket, excellent for corners. Assorted colours.  
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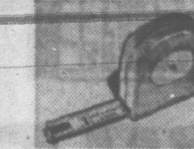
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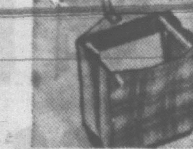
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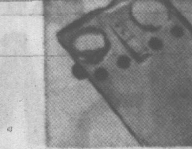
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12" long steel blade with black markings, on white enamel. Sale Price 88¢



42. Auto Butler  
Vinyl litter container, fits under dash and features removable bag.  
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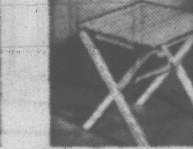
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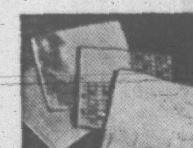
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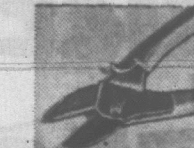
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Luncheon napkins, party pack of 18. Assorted patterns.  
Sale Price 4 pkgs. 88¢



16. Lint Remover  
Roller type, picks up tacky lint on all fabrics.  
Sale Price 88¢



25. Cultivator Set  
Cultivator and trowel, chrome plated, resists rust. Finished wood handle.  
Sale Price, both 88¢



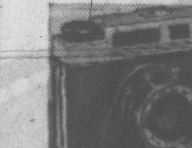
34. Pruning Shears  
Anvil type, finger tip lock. Vinyl handle protectors and finger rest.  
Sale Price 88¢



43. Wire Brush  
Wire bristles for upholstery and clothing. Picks up lint and dirt with ease.  
Sale Price 88¢



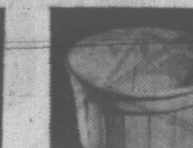
52. Facelle Royale  
Extra strength, 3-ply facial tissues, 111 per box.  
Sale Price 3 boxes 88¢



61. Army Camera  
Candid camera takes 16 pictures on a 120 film.  
Sale Price 88¢



70. China Cups  
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Heavy-duty, ribbed for strength. Built-in handles. 1 bushel size.  
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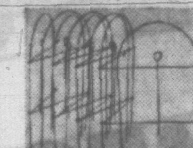
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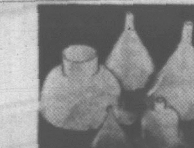
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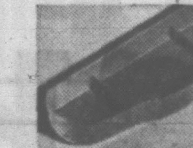
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26. Folding Fence  
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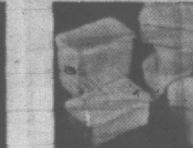
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71. Silver Polish  
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36. Ladies Shears  
Lightweight, 6" Sheffield steel blades, hardwood handles.  
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45. Ban Roll-On  
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Hair shampoo with Lanolin to give life and lustre to your hair. 2.75 fl. oz.  
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1/4-lb. spool of top quality nylon fishing line. 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20, 25, 30, and 40-lb. test.  
Sale Price 88¢



72. Flatware  
Wm. Rogers in sweep design. Choice of serving pieces.  
Sale Price, each 88¢



80. Spout Pail  
Sturdy utility pail with metal handle. 10 quart size. Assorted colours.  
Sale Price 88¢



88. Auto Mats  
Non-skid rubber mats to protect car floors. 17"x20".  
Sale Price, each 88¢



## The Unhappy Warrior

# HISTORY'S BIGGEST BLUSH GREET'S SWIRL OF SCANDAL

By PETER C. NEWMAN

The procession of grubby revelations and scandalous allegations that have darkened the Ottawa scene during the past four months have raised some inevitable questions about Lester Pearson's willingness and ability to root out the culprits.

Liberal partisans continue to pooh-pooh the significance of the accusations, blaming what they call "the irresponsible tactics of a power-hungry opposition" for magnifying the facts to besmear the administration.

While there is little doubt that John Diefenbaker has reacted to those sordid outpourings with more delight than anger, the charges brought against the Pearson government by the opposition have had a nasty habit of turning out to be something far more serious than partisan sallies.

No Canadian government has been in a more embarrassing situation. One of its former minister (Yvon Du-puis) is charged with conspiracy and fraud; the performance of another minister (Guy Favreau) is being investigated by a full-scale judicial inquiry; two other ministers (Maurice Lamontagne and Rene Tremblay) have confessed they were the beneficiaries of some highly unusual furniture deals. The handling of immigration cases has come under serious suspicion and an executive assistant to the former immigration minister has been accused of offering bribes.

### Remains Active

One MP (E. T. Asselin, Montreal-NDG) remains active in the Liberal caucus although a royal commission has accused him of acting "illegally" in taking a \$62,000 profit out of a school board land deal.

Guy Rouleau, the prime minister's former parliamentary assistant, has been accused of exerting influence on behalf of Lucien Rivard, the elusive Montreal drug ring suspect.

These and other examples of unseemly conduct by members of the Liberal government, made all the more ludicrous by the comic ineptitude displayed in the Rivard affair, have caused many Canadians to demand with bitter indignation an explanation of just what is going on in Ottawa—and why Lester Pearson appears to be doing nothing about it.

Pearson's reluctance to reform his embarrassed administration has bewildered his supporters and brought comfort to his political enemies. It has diverted public attention from his policies and undermined the support they might other-



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up to his ears

wise command. His attitude has seriously diminished his record because, as Prof. MacGregor Dawson wrote in his definitive study, the government of Canada: "It is one of the sure signs of an able prime minister, that he will have the courage and the toughness to get rid of men who have ceased to be assets."

### Prairie Tour

Although he expressed indignation in private, the prime minister's public reaction to the scandals has had an almost casual air about it. When Erik Nielsen first began to "hurt" his harpoons at the government, Pearson took off for a prairie political tour. Referring to the allegations during an informal speech at Lloydminster, Sask., he held up the local paper which featured two headlines directly underneath each other: "welcome prime minister and sewer installations progressing" and quipped: "I don't intend to go down the drain yet!"

Instead of trying to divert the political lightning of an offended public opinion from himself to his subordinates, he has reacted by sacrificing portions of his own prestige. Last December 14, Pearson admitted having had an airplane conversation with his minister of justice about the Denis affair on September 2, although he'd already told the Commons that he knew nothing about it until November 22.

On November 20, Pearson felt compelled by the behaviour of his ministers and their assistants to issue a code of ethics, specifically stating that those who did not measure up to his standards would be fired. Yet despite all the embarrassments of the last four months, it has yet to be applied in a single instance. Pearson had indicated that

he will allow others to judge whether or not their behaviour conforms to his standards. When he was asked at a recent press conference how he reconciled the Royal Commission condemnation of E. T. Asselin's land deals with his code of ethics, Pearson replied: "Mr. Asselin himself feels there is no irreconcilability in what I have stated and what he has done."

### Scandal Series

Pearson's approach seems to be based on a narrow, legalistic interpretation of each scandal as it occurs. He recently summed up his attitude by telling a friend: "I won't destroy a man just because he's made a mistake. I dealt with Guy Rouleau and Yvon Dupuis as soon as I had enough evidence, but I won't inflict injustice in the name of justice."

Following this reasoning, the Liberal line in the Asselin case, for example, goes something like this: Asselin has been captured by a royal commission and not been convicted in a court of law, and since he holds no particular office in the administration, it is up to the voters of NDG riding rather than the Prime Minister to deal with the situation.

Two traumatic events in Pearson's own past have contributed to his great reluctance either to act on accusations not fully established by law or to condemn men for making political mistakes. The suicide of his friend and colleague Herbert Norman taught Pearson the bitter effectiveness of innuendo. His own monumentally inept motion of no confidence of January 20, 1958 (when he demanded the resignation of the newly-elected Diefenbaker Government without an election) has made him treat the political bloopers of his min-



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isters with a modifying awareness of his own limitations.

### Petty Politics

This personal reaction is a highly commendable human attitude but it has removed from the governmental process one of the essential functions of the office that Lester Pearson occupies. The Prime Minister must always have a whistle to blow and when he blows it, the members of his government must react with fear or respect or whatever you want to call the response strong leadership elicits. By refusing to blow that whistle and by brushing off the swarm of scandalous allegations as petty politics, Lester Pearson is jeopardizing his reputation, and the good name of the country he loves.

In the tenth and concluding article in this series to be published tomorrow, Peter Newman draws up a balance sheet summarizing the accomplishments and failures of the Pearson administration.

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## Fines for Contempt Face Leader, Union

VANCOUVER (CP)—An international union local and its president each face \$1,000 fines unless they purge a contempt of court.

Mr. Justice F. K. Collins in British Columbia Supreme Court has found Local 97 of the International Union of Bridge, Structural and Ornamental Ironworkers (IUBO) and local president John Paterson guilty of contempt.

He held that Local 97 was in contempt of a three-months-old Supreme Court injunction banning it from doing business with firms employing members of

the rival Canadian Ironworkers Union (Ind.).

The injunction had been sought by the Canadian union after it alleged that the Ironworkers tried to have a clause inserted in a labor contract with general contractors which would force several subcontractors to fire members of the Canadian union or go out of business.

Mr. Justice Collins said Monday he had \$1,000 fines "in mind." But he would give the local and its president until April 5 to make proposals to the court which may enable them to purge their contempt of court.

## Pearson Cuts Own Expenses

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister Pearson has accomplished a cut in his office expenses which few other cabinet ministers, if any, have been able to duplicate.

Government spending estimates tabled Monday in the Commons show that forecast expenditures by Mr. Pearson's office in 1965-66 are \$4,307,367 or \$560,200 less than in the fiscal year now ending.

The appropriations contain no hint of an election: Travelling expenses are listed at \$30,000, the same figure as 1964-65.

## Bandit Quits After Tackle By Citizens

VANCOUVER (CP)—A bank bandit and an accountant dodged downtown shoppers in a 400-yard foot race for a \$1,300 prize Friday before a bystander brought the holdup man down with a flying tackle.

"I got you," exclaimed accountant A. A. Thiessen as he landed atop the bandit and truck driver Edward A. Sherlock who had tackled the bandit.

"Okay you guys, I quit—take the darned money back," said the bandit, pinned to the pavement of Victory Square in the city centre.

The trio rose, and walked arm-in-arm with the bandit in the middle to the next block where a motorcycle policeman greeted them.

Thiessen, 35, employed at the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce branch held up by the bandit, said he has witnessed four holdups in 13 years. He caught a robber here in 1952.

Police recovered the bank's \$1,300 and a note reading: "This is a holdup."

Kenneth Charles Brown, 25, was charged with robbery.

### Smoking on Increase

OTTAWA (CP)—An apparent increase in smoking by Canadians is shown in the latest figures issued by the bureau of statistics. The bureau said Friday the number of cigarettes for which excise tax stamps were purchased by manufacturers moving stocks out of warehouses totalled 3,327,750,875 in February. This represents a 13 per cent increase over the year earlier figure of 2,925,333,840.



## IMAGINATION NEEDED

# New Fiasco Budget Asked

OTTAWA (CP)—A New Democratic MP suggests Finance Minister Gordon should do more thinking along the lines of his "fiasco" budget of two years ago.

The advice was given in the Commons Monday by Reid Scott (Toronto-Danforth) as the House discussed a bill covering provinces that choose to stay out of federal-provincial cost-sharing programs.

"Many of us still look back with a bit of excitement to his first budget," Mr. Scott said of the minister, "because even though it turned out to be a fiasco we felt that he was embarking on some imaginative schemes in an attempt to grapple with some of the problems facing this country."

Mr. Scott made a plea for more imagination in the upcoming bill, which would give the provinces tax abatements or cash payments if they decide to withdraw from any of the 17 programs covered by the legislation.

The minister should "resurrect the corpse" of the Canada Development Corporation, proposed in his first budget to channel Canadian funds into Canadian investments. This had "gone up in a puff of smoke."

The government should be thinking in terms of establishing a second Trans-Canada Highway system, a national power grid, a national manpower policy and steps to put into practice the aims set out in the report by the Economic Council of Canada.

### NEED HAS PASSED

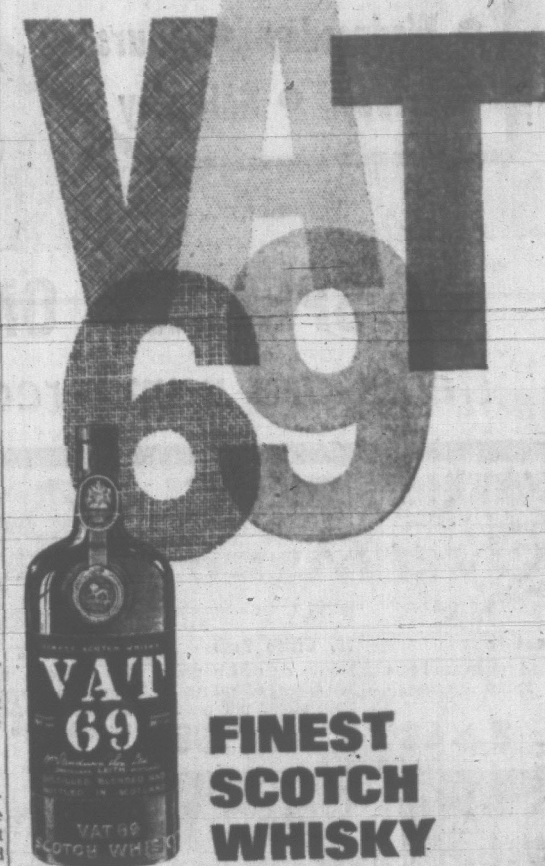
Alvin Hamilton (PC—Qu'Appelle), backing a Conservative motion for delay of the bill put forward last week, said the need for the opting-out bill has passed. It had been born in confusion at a federal-provincial conference as a measure to ease extremist pressure on the Quebec government.

The Conservative amendment calls for shelving the bill until a federal-provincial conference can be called to talk over provincial requirements.

Gilles Gregoire (Creditiste-Lapointe) said his party would support the bill because it is

happy to see the federal government leaving such plans in the hands of the provinces. They were clearly competent in the field.

Today the House turns back to the Canada Pension Plan bill, lacking approval for only one clause.



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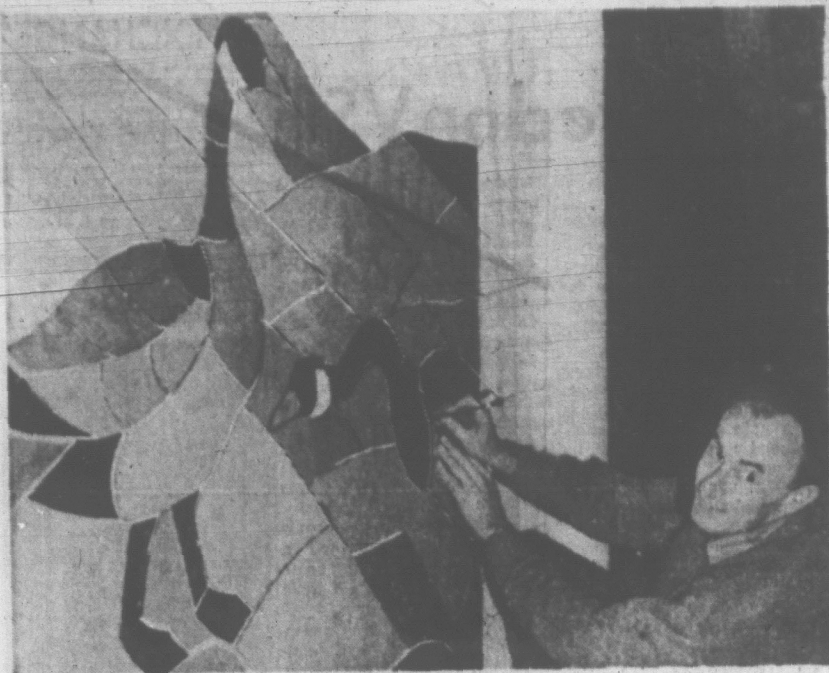
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**NEW BREED** glass-cutter Charles (Rudy) Seyfort carries out delicate, time-consuming task of placing hundreds of pieces of colored glass into

large mural. Mr. Seyfort, better known as a wood carver, is trying this form of art for first time. It's extensively used in Europe.

## Budget's Book-Keeping System to be Changed

By JOHN MIKA  
Times Legislative Reporter

Premier Bennett Monday indicated the B.C. budget will leap from the record \$456 million in expenditures proposed so far this year to considerably more than \$600 million next year.

"It will be a whopper," he said with a smile.

But most of the increase will result from a change in book-keeping methods—a switch from the "net" to the "gross" expenditure system.

Up until, and including, this year, the B.C. budget has been expressed in "net" terms which ignore all moneys originating from Ottawa and other sources.

For instance, this year the provincial government expenditures—no counting crown corporations—will total \$602 million including the millions in tax rental receipts and other federal payments.

But, historically, the B.C. governments have only reported in the budget the expenditure

of money raised within the province so that this year's budget speech spoke only of a total \$446 million in expenditures (since raised by \$10 million for municipal grants, social allowances and the medical grants stabilization fund.)

(The total expenditures of money from all sources could be computed by adding up the individual votes in the annual departmental estimates which always included a breakdown

of provincial and federal sums that were allocated to any given project.)

But the premier will switch to the "gross" system in his budget speech next year as a result of the co-operative federalism policy of Prime Minister Pearson.

Mr. Bennett said the "opting out" principle involved in the federal policy dictates that all provinces follow a uniform method of presenting their budgets in a "gross" form so that comparisons will be possible.

One side benefit of the change-over will be an end to the annual argument over whether B.C. or Alberta has the larger budget.

Alberta, which has traditionally used the "gross" system, this year claimed it was ahead because its budget totals \$498 million.

But next year Alberta will be far behind for everyone to see when B.C. uses the same method of presentation.

### Attack On Village Alleged By Cambodia

RHOM PENH (Reuters)—A Cambodian army communique today said "soldiers belonging to the American-South Vietnamese forces, supported by fighters," attacked a village more than a mile inside Cambodian territory Sunday.

The communique identified the village as Preah Trobing, in Kamgot province.

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### BLOW-TORCH HELPS

## Artist Fired Up Over Mural Work

By HUMPHRY DAVY

A Victoria artist is fashioning a work of art with a hammer and blow-torch.

Charles (Rudy) Seyfort is

### NDP Moves To Wipe Out Ward Extras

Opposition Leader Robert Strachan has made his request for changes in the Hospital Insurance Act official.

Little over a week ago Mr. Strachan asked Health Minister Eric Martin why hospital patients ordered to private or semi-private wards by family doctors were charged the extra rates by the hospitals concerned.

Monday he moved that the Hospital Insurance Act be amended to provide that "where care in a private or semi-private ward is considered necessary for the treatment of the patient for medical reasons alone or by reason of lack of public ward accommodation, the patient shall be deemed not to have requested or received care with the meaning of the (existing) subsection."

At present a patient is charged for private or semi-private ward care whether he requests it or whether he is placed in the extra-cost wards on doctor's orders.

The amendment will be debated during the present session of the legislature.

fitting together hundreds of pieces of glass into a stained glass mural believed to be the largest ever made in western Canada.

The mural will be 35 feet long and five feet wide. It depicts Canada geese flying east and west against a background of the rays of a rising sun.

It's being made for the showroom of Morrison Chevrolet Oldsmobile Ltd. building under construction on Douglas Street.

### 12 COLORS

The project took weeks of planning. First the full design was drawn on paper and the shapes traced to enable the artist to cut the colored glass to size. Twelve colors are being used.

Setting the glass together is an exacting job. The glass is held together by lead strips. The leading is soldered together at the points of junction and putty is rubbed into the crevices between the glass and the lead.

Mr. Seyfort, better known as a wood carver, said it's his first try in this field of decorative art.

"I hope it won't be my last," he said. "This form of decorative art can do much to enhance public and private buildings in B.C. It is used extensively in Europe today."

The artist said stained glass windows or murals in the past have been brought in from eastern Canada or imported from Europe.

"I don't see why we need rely on the outside for work of this type," he said. "We can make our own murals in B.C."

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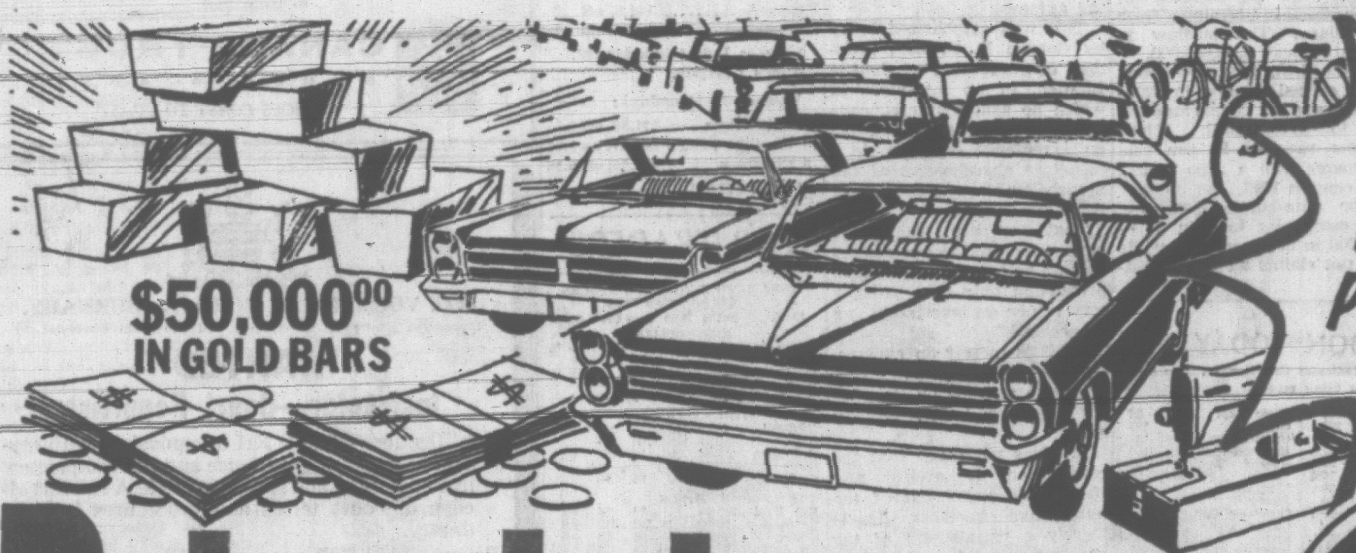
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# ALL-TORONTO TRADING

# MARKET SUMMARIES

## Goconda Featured on VSE

Goconda featured active trade in the mining section of the Vancouver Stock Exchange to noon rising \$1.75 to a new high of \$9.75.

Stairs Exploration was the second mining issue to hit a new high, rising .03 to \$1.70.

New Imperial made a major gain putting on \$2.34 to \$24.90 on 20,000 shares. McKinney hit a new low at 23 1/2 and Pesco struck a new low of \$1.40. Magnum rose .08 to .73 on 23,100 shares.

In the industrials, Home Oil reached a new high of \$22.12.

AT TORONTO CPR was off 1/4, Aluminium & Dominion Bridge 3/4, Abitibi, BA Oil and Calgary Power each lost 1/4 and Dominion Stocks 1/4.

Among speculative, National Exploration traded \$330,500 shares and added a penny at 14 cents. Most of the stock's volume consisted of two lots of 150,000 shares each. Midrim gained 22 to 63 cents, and Genex dropped 4 to 53 cents.

Senior metals were strong with Inco up 1/4 and Denison 1/4.

Utilities were off. CPR dropped 1/4 and Bell Telephone added 1/4.

Banks were steady.

In paper issues, Consolidated added 1/4 and Price Bros. dropped 1/4.

In food and beverages, Molson added 1 1/2 points to 39 1/2.

In base metal issues, International Nickel added 1/4 and Noranda dropped 1/4. In the primaries, Aluminum dropped 1/4. Among speculative mines, Equity Explorations added 1 1/2 cents to 34. Kodak Pete was down 10c to \$1.80.

AT LONDON the stock market generally maintained a good tone today although some of the industrials were a little below their best.

Buying interest was selective, and gilts occasionally rallied from recent dullness.

Dollar stocks were irregular. Canadian issues were inclined to ease and among those to decline slightly were Abitibi, Algoma, Aluminum, Hudson's Bay Oil and Gas, Massey-Ferguson, Noranda and TransCanada Pipe. Small rises were seen in B.A. Oil, Canadian Husky, Hollinger and International Nickel.

Canadian Pacific was dull. Properties, trusts and insurance were firm. Domestic banks were in demand but Canadian issues including the Bank of Montreal, the Bank of Nova Scotia, the Canadian Imperial Bank, the Toronto Dominion and Royal Bank of Canada.

Gold shares were easier. Tins were lower where changed.

## \$ EXCHANGE

VICTORIA — Banks buying cheques at 1/2 premium, notes 1/4 premium and selling silver at 1/2. Selling cheques at 1/2 premium, notes at 1/2 premium.

NEW YORK (CP) — The Canadian dollar new 1/4 at \$22.94 in terms of U.S. funds. U.S. dollar new 1/4 at \$1.067/32 in terms of Canadian funds. The Bank of Montreal new 1/4 at \$1.067/32 in terms of Canadian funds. The Bank of Montreal new 1/4 at \$1.067/32 in terms of Canadian funds.

## ROYALITE ANNOUNCEMENT

The appointment of Mr. Homer Ogston as a Vice-President of the Royalite Oil Company is announced by Mr. J. Lawson Valens, President. In his new position, Mr. Ogston assumes direction of the Marketing Division of the new Royalite organization formed through the unification of Royalite, Purity 99 and Anglo Canadian Oils Limited.

Mr. Ogston, who brings to his new position many years of experience in petroleum marketing throughout Canada, will be located at Royalite Head Office in Calgary.

## INDUSTRIALS

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## A-B

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net
Abitibi	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Alcan	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Alcan Gas	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Alcan Gas	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Alcan Gas	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Alcan Gas	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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Alcan Gas	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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## C-E

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net
Cable	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Calumet	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Calumet	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Calumet	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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## F-J

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net
Falcon	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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Falcon	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Falcon	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Falcon	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Falcon	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Falcon	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Falcon	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Falcon	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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## K-P

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net
Kelly	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Kelly	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Kelly	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Kelly	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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## Q-T

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net
Quebec	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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Quebec	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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Quebec	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Quebec	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Quebec	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Quebec	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Quebec	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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## U-Z

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net
Union	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Union	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Union	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Union	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Union	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Union	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Union	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Union	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Union	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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## V-X

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net
Vancouver	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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Vancouver	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Vancouver	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Vancouver	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Vancouver	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Vancouver	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Vancouver	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
Vancouver	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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## Y-Z

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net
York	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
York	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
York	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
York	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
York	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
York	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
York	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
York	200	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4	+1/4
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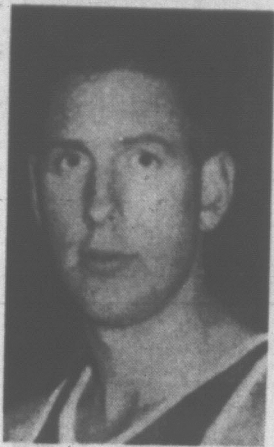
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# Island Clubs Laugh, Charlie; They're Best of Cage Crop



NEIL DIROM  
... brilliant finale

MORE SPORT  
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## Hal Malone LOOKS AT SPORTS

This hour had five goals, 77 shots, a citizen who blew a free trip to Toronto by naming Red Dutton as the Toronto player who serves in Parliament, the best refereeing in Memorial Arena all season and a post-game frolic which proved that hockey players are the worst fighters in captivity.



BILLY McNEILL  
... he belongs

In charge of recording shots calculated that Vancouver's Villeneuve stopped 22, Millar eight. Mathematicians in the press pool did not keep a tally (we run out of fingers after 10) but the totals seemed out of kilter.

### Who's Got MP Button? Not Dutton

In the second period, Victoria could have been arrested for loitering in the Vancouver end for 14 minutes 40 seconds. By our count, Millar stopped only two shots, both length-of-the-ice clearances, in that span. Villeneuve, conversely, was so busy he didn't have time to adjust his girdle. If he didn't thrust himself in front of at least 30 hunks of rubber, some of which would have put air-conditioning in most people's vests, then we flunked primary arithmetic. The official tally: Villeneuve 15, Millar 8. Tabulators' eye-sight-Dim.

Item: A party named Tweets or Twigg or Tootsie had his ticket yanked, good for a jet ride to Toronto. But the law demands that you must answer a qualifying question under the circumstances. The question: "What Leaf player also serves in Parliament?" Wrote Tweets: Red Dutton.

Comment: Four National Hockey League players have sported the gaudy initials "MP" after their names.

The Leafs contributed Syl Apps and Howie Meeker. Montreal Maroons offered Lionel Conacher.

The present Leaf under Ottawa's dome is Leonard Kelly. Last year commuting between Parliament Hill and Maple Leaf Gardens cost Kelly \$9,600. No wonder Pearson's Panthers voted themselves a pay-increase.

### 'Fighting' Should Have Read 'Fraud'

Item: "Referee for tonight's game . . . John Ashley." Comment: Most people pay to see a hockey game and end up watching the man in the striped shirt perform more arm-signals than a bugged Beetle.

Mons. Ashley appeared through the courtesy of the NHL with whom the WHL has a working agreement.

The most outstanding aspect of his work was his quiet efficiency. You didn't know he was around. With most referees you wish they weren't.

Item: The final bell tolled and Victoria's John Sleavey began exchanging un-niceties with Vancouver's William Burega. The latter won, two dirty looks to one.

Comment: In a recent televised NHL game, Toronto's Carl Brewer and Chicago's Phil Esposito started shadow boxing and went after one another when they saw the officials coming to stop them.

Imagine their chagrin, their complete horror, when referee Frank Udvari stopped the linesmen and forced them to stand back and watch.

With their bluff called, Brewer and Esposito grabbed each other like lovebirds practising the Bunny Hug.

The PA announcement said they had been penalized five minutes for "fighting." The sentences should have been for "fraud."

### Adams' Concept of Youth Starts at 33

In the Leafs' boudoir, Al Millar climbed out of his torso mattress and discussed the merits of William McNeill, Vancouver's captain and driving force.

"They say there aren't enough players to expand the NHL," said Millar. "But how about McNeill?"

"The way he's going," chimed in Louis Casimir Jankowski, "he belongs."

An onlooker mentioned that McNeill had a shot in the NHL. With Detroit.

"Detroit doesn't like free-wheelers like Billy," said Millar. "Look at Bruce McGreger. How long has he been there? Four years. And this is the first year he's getting goals."

McNeill's main contribution with Detroit was as a bench adornment. The Red Wings sent him down to Edmonton and when Jolly Jack Adams, the former Detroit cheer-leader, dropped in to see the farm team, McNeill asked him about the demotion.

Jankowski remembered Adams' answer.

"He told Billy, who was about 20, that the Wings were interested in going with a youth movement."

"Adams' first move was to bring in Vic Staaluk, who was 33 or better . . ."

## Dirom, Lehtonen Set Pace In 90-76 Win By Athletics

ALBERNI—Don't let them kid you, Charlie, with that stuff about Vancouver Island being the tea-drinking, crumpet-eating centre of the world. Ask them where they play the best basketball in Canada . . . senior, junior and perhaps even high school.

Ask the wise guys which team holds the Canadian senior men's basketball championship. Smile when they say, "Alberni Athletics."

And for encores remind them about Victoria Chinooks, Canadian junior men's kings. And Oak Bay, tallest in the province in high school hoops.

The A's made it to the top of the summit here Wednesday. They toppled Winnipeg Dunlops 90-76 before 1,600 screaming zealots packed into a gym that normally sardines in 1,200.

In the Alberni wake, besides Winnipeg, were Montreal and Hamilton. In population, these pockets of civilization make Al-

berni look like a pygmy. But when it comes to putting balls through hoops, the representatives of this community stand tallest in Canada.

### SIMMONDS STOPPED COOK

The tallest of them all, physically and point-wise Wednesday was Neil Dirom. Mr. Dirom has but five inches to spare when he strolls through seven-foot doorways. He is a man to look up to.

Winnipeg looked up in awe as Dirom pumped 27 points through the mesh, a brilliant finale to an outstanding season.

Several inches lower but perhaps the key man for the victorious Athletics was Larry Lehtonen. The Courtenay cutie culminated a sensational series with 18 points. Seemingly he was everywhere, directing traffic, seizing rebounds, guarding tenaciously.

Add Pete Simmonds of Victoria. They asked him to suppress John Cook, the tourney's leading scorer. Cook scored 12 points, almost a disastrous effort for him.

Throw in Don Krego. So skinny he looks like milk costs a dollar a quart, he snagged more than his share of rebounds, dropped in 13 points.

### KUDO FOR COACH

Don't forget Dave Way. The former Olympian, brought in with Simmonds for the finals, lent poise and drive to the effort. Save a special kudo for coach Elmer Speidel. He makes the Athletics go round, mentally manipulating the team under a crew-cut that.

Speidel was the playing-coach when Alberni first inscribed its name in the championship annals 10 years ago. Last year he returned to the Alberni scene, bent on restoring the A's to their place in basketball society.

Alberni stepped out early as if they meant to sweep Winnipeg right into the Alberni Canal. The A's gunned into an 11-4 lead within three minutes. The Dunlops, obviously the second best team in this show, drove back, finished the half a mere eight points back, 41-34.

Winnipeg's Jack Rusk opened the second half with a basket and Alberni hearts throbbed as one.

### TIDAL WAVE HIT

Then the tidal wave hit. Dirom plunked in two baskets. Lehtonen and Way sank one each. Krego canned a free throw. That was it except for a pesky Winnipegger, Fred Ingaldson, who wouldn't say "uncle."

Ingaldson kept potting and potting (the finished with a gusty 29) but there was no way this day-to-stop the fearless five of Mr. Speidel.

They had the answer to the skeptics who claim that tea and crumpets are Vancouver Island's top claim to fame.

Alberni-Gunner Kuehn, Colin McPherson & Larry Lehtonen 18, Pete Simmonds 12, Rayner Davies, Dave Way 11, Don Krego 13, Jim Bishop, Neil Dirom 27, Bill Fletcher, Tom Watts & Total 90. Winnipeg-Dave Miller & Bill Carpenter 24, Cook 12, Fred Ingaldson 29, Jack Rusk 11, Grant Atkinson & Wayne Smith 10, Cliff Stark, Glen Torgerson & Bud Grant & Don McLean, Bill Wright, Total 76.

The final week's play gives

### Saskatchewan Juniors To Miss Cup Playoffs

REGINA (CP)—A firm decision by the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association has eliminated the winner of the Saskatchewan Junior Hockey League playoffs from Memorial Cup competition this year.

Fred Page of Port Arthur, CAHA vice-president, said the association will not change Memorial Cup playoff dates to accommodate the SJHL, but SJHL commissioner Frank Boucher hopes "there may be an angle to salvage the situation."

The problem was revealed Monday night when Frank Germann, president of the Saskatchewan Amateur Hockey Association, said in an interview he had sent a telegram to the CAHA expressing his regrets that a Saskatchewan champion would not be decided in time for the Memorial Cup quarter-finals this year.

Germann said he received a

## Three A's Chosen for Dream Team

ALBERNI—Alberni Athletics didn't leave much in the way of spoils for the other teams in the Canadian Senior Men's basketball championships.

The triumphant A's placed three men on the all-star team, chosen by press, radio and team officials.

Guard Larry Lehtonen, the former Courtenay high school flash, centre Neil Dirom, the outstanding Athletic in the final; and forward Dave Way, a smoothie all the way, were named to the dream team.

John Cook, former University of B.C. ace, of the runnerup Winnipeg Dunlops and teammate Fred Ingaldson received other first team votes.

Cook led all scorers with 134 points, averaging 27. Dirom was 72 for four games, Way 53, Ingaldson 87 and Lehtonen 81.

All things considered Lehtonen's feat was perhaps the greatest of all. He is the only member of the all-star cast who went straight from high school to senior company without the benefit of college experience.

## Gallagher Heads Duncan Golf Club

DUNCAN—Cowichan Golf Club had readied itself for a new season with appointment of officers.

They are: Jack Gallagher, president; Pat O'Brien, vice-president, and committee chairmen, Clarence Cornett, Andy Baranuk, Clayton Wright, Don Baker, Frank Miller and Bradshaw Harrison.

### IN POINT RACE

## Wings Threaten Chihawks' Hold

MONTREAL (CP)—Moving into the last week of the schedule, Detroit Red Wings are threatening Chicago's domination of the point-scoring race after being instrumental in knocking the Black Hawks out of the National Hockey League championship scramble.

Official NHL statistics released today show that Detroit's Norm Ullman has cut down the point-scoring lead of Black Hawk Steve Mikita to six from 15 in last week's play.

Mikita had two assists for a total of 58, tying a league record, to go with his 28 goals.

However, Ullman scored five goals and had six assists for a total of 80 points. His 39 goals equal the number scored by injured Black Hawk Bobby Hull.

Gordie Howe, another big factor in Detroit's powerful late-season drive—Wings have won 10 of their last 12 games—scored five goals and had four assists to jump into third place with 72 points, two more than Hull.

The final week's play gives

teams remain in the running. The trophy goes to the goal-tender playing the most games for the team allowing the least goals.

Roger Crozier of Detroit, also leading in shutouts with six, heads the Vezina race as Wings have let in 166 goals. Terry Sawchuk of Toronto is next as Leafs have let in 167 goals, also in 67 games. Glenn Hall of Chicago is third as Black Hawks have let in 170 goals in 68 games.

The leaders:

	G	A	Pts	PIM
Mikita, Chicago	28	58	86	150
Ullman, Detroit	39	41	80	48
Howe, Detroit	39	44	73	102
Hull, Chicago	39	32	71	32
Provat, Montreal	27	37	64	26
Delvecchio, Detroit	22	49	62	18
Pilote, Chicago	14	45	59	100
Esposito, Chicago	23	33	54	52
Backstrom, Montreal	24	30	54	41
MacDonald, Detroit	33	31	54	44
Bryk, Boston	24	29	53	15
Richard, Montreal	21	29	50	39
Nabholz, Toronto	22	27	49	76
Keon, Toronto	20	26	46	8
Kelly, Toronto	18	28	46	4
MacDonald, Detroit	33	33	46	24
Goyette, New York	12	34	46	8
Henry, Chicago	26	18	44	22
Satchell, Toronto	18	28	44	32

### Softball Meeting

All players and managers in the Independent Athletic Association softball league have been asked to attend a general meeting Wednesday at 8 p.m. at 2020 Douglas St.

### BIG FIELD LOOMS . . .

## Freddie, The Rip, Co-Favorites

LONDON (AP)—Britain's top bookies have made Freddie and The Rip 10-to-1 favorites for Saturday's running of the Grand National steeplechase.

American-owned Jay Trump slumped to 25 to 1. Freddie is a Scottish-trained

horse—and no Scottish-trained entry ever won the National: The Rip is owned by Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother.

This is the way the bookies made the other odds on the race of four miles, 856 yards over 30 obstacles:

Kapeno 14-1; Rondetto 16 to 1; Jay Trump, Leedsy, Papageno's Cottage, Vultrix 25 to 1; Forgotten Dreams, Peacetown 33 to 1; Cullenhouse, Quintin Bay, Red Tide, Rough Tread 40 to 1; Honey End 50 to 1.

Others in the big field—



## PIN THOSE SHOULDERS, BOY!

Acting almost like wrestler trying to pin opponent's shoulders to mat, Alton Singletary falls atop Clarence Green as battlers tumble to canvas during

175-pound final Monday night in Golden Gloves boxing tourney at New York. Singletary took championship on decision. (AP Wirephoto.)

## Blades are 'Bad Guys' For Tonight's Chapter

The name of the show is "Beat Out the Maple Leafs".

In the cast of the Western Hockey League serial are Victoria Maple Leafs, Los Angeles Blades and San Francisco Seals.

The Blades and Leafs step out in centre stage tonight when the next installment goes on view at Memorial Arena.

In this one, coach Alfie Pike and his Blades are the "bad guys."

It was different at Los Angeles Sunday, when the Blades were undeniably the "good guys" as they whipped the Seals 7-2 to keep the Golden Gate crew one point behind Victoria, a 2-1 loser at Seattle.

This hero-villain casting is strictly the viewpoint of the Victoria audience. At this point in the schedule, any time the Blades can box the Seals they look like knights riding white steeds to Victoria fans.

### ROLE REVERSED

For Seals supporters, the love-hate role is reversed. The reason, of course, is that the WHL's fourth and last playoff berth is still up for grabs.

The Leafs have it. The Seals can still snatch it. The Blades, by performing a minor miracle, can still tie for it.

Here is the situation:

Leafs and Blades each have

four games remaining on their schedules.

Los Angeles is eight points behind Victoria and needs four wins coupled with four Victoria losses to tie for fourth. One slip and the Blades are out.

### TWO WILL DO IT

Seals are one point behind and have two tussles to play. Any combination of two Victoria wins or two Frisco losses drops them out of the playoff picture.

The pets of Victoria coach Rudy Pilous can oust the Blades and shove the Seals into deep trouble if they come out on top tonight.

But the chore doesn't promise to be an easy one. The Pike-men have been wielding a hot hand and they have taken three straight from the Seals, who they meet in a home-and-home series on the weekend.

### CLOSE TO RECORD

It might also be mentioned that regardless of how the Seals impress fans tonight, their merry madcap of a defenceman, Howie Young, can hardly be classed as a "good guy."

Howie, who already owns the National Hockey League record for penalties in one season (273 minutes), is hot on the trail of a new "badman" mark for the WHL.

Young needs only another six minutes to erase the record of 226 minutes, set last season by Portland's Mike Donaldson. Howie was on his best behavior last week, collecting only three minor penalties in four games, which to him is almost like attending Sunday school.

### EXTRA PUNISHMENT

But six minutes is nothing to Young and he could chalk up a new WHL mark tonight if he has one of his rambunctious outtings.

Leafs will be at full strength tonight except for rookie defenceman Bobby Taylor. He misses this game as additional punishment after receiving a match penalty for his part in a stick-swinging duel with Gordie Vejpava during Victoria's last visit to Los Angeles.

Action tonight starts at 8.

### TIME OUT



"I'm thinking of discharging my business manager — so far this season he's only gone 2 for 7 on commercials."

### Hull Sidelined

CHICAGO (AP) — Bobby Hull, high-scoring left winger of Chicago Black Hawks, will be rested in preparation for the playoffs and miss the final two games of the season because of a knee injury. Hull injured the knee in a 5-1 loss to Detroit Red Wings which doomed the Blackhawks to a third-place finish in the national Hockey League.

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## C Minuses Turn Gus Into Hockey Stengel

By MIKE RECHT  
ST. LOUIS (AP)—Much to his agony, Gus Kyle has become the Casey Stengel of hockey. Although Kyle doesn't double-talk, is only 41 years old and has never seen New York Mets play, he and Stengel have one

depressing thing in common—defeat. If Kyle's St. Louis Braves of the Central Hockey League played as many games as Stengel's Mets, they would be sure to lose as many. As it is, the Braves, a Chi-

cago Black Hawks farm club, are finishing their second complete season in St. Louis with only 13 victories in 67 games this year, tying six. They look up from last place, 25 points behind the fifth-place Memphis Wings.

### NO PLACE TO SLEEP

"Sometimes I feel like beating my head against a wall," Kyle said. "I go home at night and can't eat or sleep for thinking about the chances we have to win games and let them get away."

"I can't even sleep on the bench like Stengel because in hockey we have no dugouts to hide us from the view of the fans."

Strangely enough, like the Mets, the Braves are one of the best drawing teams in their league, averaging about 3,500 a game. The fans don't come up with crazy antics like Mets fans, but they're just as loud and just as dedicated.

### HARD TO TAKE

"That's one of the things that makes losing so hard to take," said Kyle, who played for and coached winners for nine years at Calgary before coming to St. Louis. "All these people come to see us, and we can't win a game. The players feel bad about it."

"Last summer, we thought we were going to have a powerhouse but several players were drafted, others went up to the Black Hawks and we've had dozens of injuries."

"And our players aren't the best. I rate them A, B and C for good, satisfactory and poor in different categories. We've got C minuses all over the ice."

### NICE TO WIN

Kyle is a big, good-natured guy who almost won Rookie of the Year honors in the National Hockey League with New York Rangers as a defenceman in 1949-50 at the late age of 27. Two years later he topped the NHL in penalties with 127 minutes while playing for Boston Bruins.

Now, he realizes his job is to develop players. Most of them are under 23 years old, but a number of Kyle's boys have made the big jump to the NHL in the two years the CHL has existed.

"That part of it makes it worth while—to see the kids develop," he said. "But it would be nice to win a game once in a while, too."

## Reds Masters Of Everything—Save NHL

MOSCOW (CP)—Members of the Soviet national hockey team have been honored individually with the title "master of sport of the U.S.S.R., international class."

They are the first recipients of the award, formally established Wednesday, the day the team arrived here from Tampere, Finland, with the world hockey championship.

It is considered a higher award than the long-established "master of sports of the U.S.S.R.," which recognized primarily domestic achievement.

### Jack Nicklaus ON GOLF

64 TOURNAMENTS WON & LOST  
CLEVELAND OPEN

THIS WAS A CASE OF THINKING YOU'RE OUT OF A TOURNAMENT WHEN YOU'RE NOT. ON THE 17TH HOLE, TWO PALMER BY ONE AND FEELING THE CONTEST OVER, I BECAME CARELESS. LOOKED MY DRIVE BEHIND A TREE THEN BOBBYED.

AT 18, WHERE LEMMA BOBBYED AND PALMER MISSED HIS BIRDIE, I ALSO FAILED ON A BIRDIE TRY FROM 12 FEET.

AS A RESULT, I FINISHED 3 STROKES BACK, BUT HAD I BEEN CAREFUL AND PARRED IT, THEN MADE THE PUTT ON 18, I WOULD HAVE TIED. POSSIBLY BIRDIES ON BOTH HOLES WOULD HAVE WON.

THIS IS CONJECTURE, OF COURSE, BUT IT DOES OFFER A GOOD LESSON: PLAY TO WIN TIL THE LAST PUTT—ANYTHING CAN HAPPEN!

## Top Boot Clubs Pack Big Load

LONDON (Reuters)—Not the least of the problems worrying English soccer administrators these days is the increasing number of matches leading clubs are called upon to play in a season.

In the old days, the normal season meant the completion of league fixture list consisting of about 40 matches and possibly a few cup ties.

In the last few years, however, three new competitions have sprung up in Europe—the European Cup, the European Cup Winners' Cup and the Inter-Cities Fairs Cup—as well as a new English competition, the League Cup. This all adds up to more fixtures for the top clubs and more congestion at the end of the season.

Various ways have been suggested to overcome the problem—a smaller first division, a longer season, the abandonment of the League Cup—but nothing has been done.

This week, for instance, three of next Saturday's English Football Association Cup semi-finalists—Chelsea, Manchester United and Liverpool—all had mid-week matches before the vital games at the weekend.

The answer, most experts agree, is a small, elite first division of about a dozen of the best teams in the country, but it is likely to be a long time coming.

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## Mets' Image Shattered By No-Hit Pitching Job

Associated Press

When Gary Kroll left Philadelphia last August, the Phillies were in first place in the National League. Four months later, when Gordon Richardson departed from St. Louis, the Cardinals were world champions.

Today, their destinies joined not at the top but at the bottom. Kroll and Richardson possess the first no-hit game ever pitched for New York Mets.

Kroll, 23, a right hander, pitched the first six innings, and Richardson, 25, a lefty, performed the final three as the Mets blanked Pittsburgh Pirates 6-0 Monday.

The no-hitter, the first of the exhibition baseball season, was the Mets' first in exhibition or regular season play.

Kroll walked three Pirates, all in the first inning, and struck out five. He retired the final 16 batters he faced. Richardson put down four more before Del Crandall reached first on shortstop Roy McMillan's error in the eighth inning.

### BRAVES ROCK KOUFAX

A pitcher who wasn't so fortunate Monday was Sandy Koufax in Milwaukee Braves' 6-1 triumph over Los Angeles Dodgers. The Braves rocked Koufax for three runs on a walk and five singles in the fifth inning after he had limited them to two hits in the first four innings.

Washington received its best spring pitching when Frank Kreutzler and Buster Narum combined to give the Senators a five-hit 3-1 victory over Detroit Tigers.

Los Angeles first baseman Costen Shockley batted out four hits and drove in four runs, but Boston Red Sox still defeated the Angels 9-7.

### ASTROS ROCK YANKS

In one-run games, Dick Reese's run-scoring single in the ninth gave Minnesota Twins a 4-3 victory over St. Louis, Philadelphia edged Chicago White Sox 2-1 on a double by Johnny Briggs and Len Berry's error, and Cincinnati Reds nipped Baltimore Orioles 2-1 behind Charley James' two-run homer.

Houston Astros, aided by three New York errors and Ron Brand's two-run homer, stopped the Yankees 7-4 while Cleveland Indians and San Francisco Giants battled to a 3-3 tie in a 13-inning game halted by agreement.

Kansas City Athletics defeated another Dodger squad 4-1 as Moe Drabowsky and Lew Krausse combined for a two-hitter.

### Soccer President

REGINA (CP)—Bill Simpson of Toronto has been elected president of the Canadian Soccer Football Association. He succeeds Dave Fryatt of Vancouver.

Canadian teams will be entered in both the Pan-American Games in Winnipeg in 1967 and in the qualifying event for the Olympic Games in Mexico in 1968.

## POLICEMAN'S UNIFORM PASSPORT TO SAFETY

SALERNO, Italy (AP)—The Salerno goalie put on a policeman's uniform and walked undetected Sunday out of a stadium besieged by angered soccer fans who had threatened to beat him.

Some 30 fans were aroused against the whole Salerno team, but particularly against the goalie, after Salerno was beaten 2-1 by visiting Caserta in a minor league game.

The club manager remained in the dressing room for two hours, until the crowd had left.

### EXEMPT TOTAL UP

## Marathon Aspect Dropped From Open

NEW YORK (AP)—The double round on the last day of the United States Open golf championship has been eliminated this year.

The United States Golf Association, outlining the conditions of the 1965 Open event, revealed that the 15 lowest scorers in the 1964 Open, excluding Open champions of the last five years, and the 15 top men on the official PGA money winning list will be exempt from all qualifying. Ten in each category were exempt last year.

For the local qualifying rounds, the number of exempt players in those two categories has been increased to 25 from 20.

AT ST. LOUIS  
The championship will be played at St. Louis, June 17-20 with a starting field of 150. For the first time, it will be played over four days with one 18-hole round each day.

The 36-hole local qualifying rounds will be held at 58 locations May 24 and 25. About 20 per cent of the original field then will advance to the sectional qualifying rounds at 13 locations June 7 and 8.

Prize money in the Open has been increased to \$125,000 with \$25,000 going to the winner.

## Alberta, Ontario Pace Legion 'Spiel

DRUMMONDVILLE (CP)—Rinkes skipped by Alberta's Scott Ellis and Ontario's Bill Lewis posted easy victories Monday to take the early lead after the second round of the Canadian Legion Curling Championship at this Quebec centre.

They were the only rinks in the 10-rink, round-robin tournament to remain undefeated going into today's third round.

PARIS—Joseph Gonzales, 154, France, stopped Tony Montana, 108, Phoenix, Ariz., 2.

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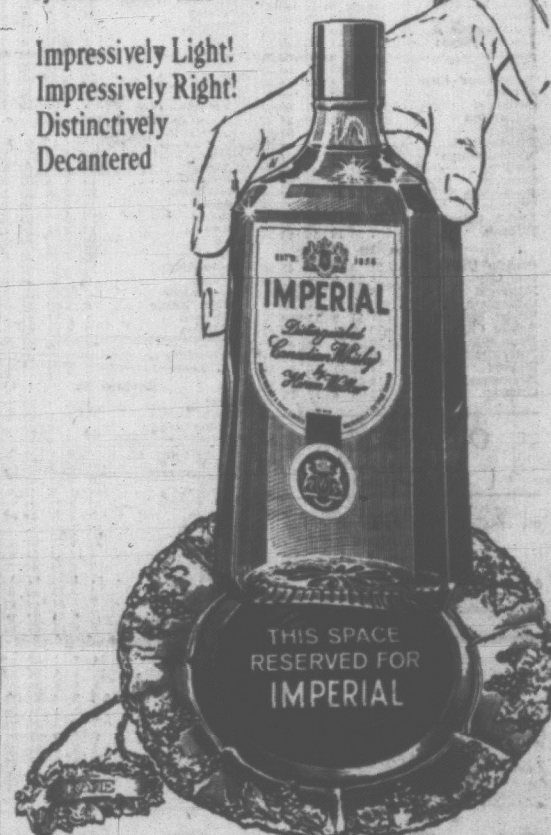
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# Net Pay Best For Amateurs

LEEDS, England (AP)—Bunny Austin, former British Davis Cup ace, said today the world's best tennis players are refraining from turning professional because they make more money as amateurs.

The 58-year-old ex-player, who was twice a losing finalist at Wimbledon, said "shamateurism" has become a way of life in tennis.

"In my days you could not earn a living playing amateur tennis," Austin said.

"You could earn a little by writing, you could get a lot of your expenses paid, but there was no future in it. So the boys became professionals and did well."

"But the professional game depends on the constant addition of new blood. And what is happening today is that the amateurs are not turning professional because, I am told, they make more money as amateurs."

Austin backed the All-England Club, promoter of the Wimbledon tournament, for its efforts to get Wimbledon thrown open to professionals as well as amateurs.

## O.C. SOCCER STANDINGS

LONDON (AP)—Standings of teams in the Old Country soccer leagues, following Saturday's games:

# ENGLISH LEAGUE

## Division I

Leeds United	21	8	5	68	42	30
Chelsea	21	8	5	68	42	30
Manchester United	19	9	6	69	44	27
Nottingham Forest	15	9	11	64	42	29
Sheff. Wed.	13	12	13	56	48	38
Everton	13	12	13	56	48	38
Tottenham Hotspur	13	12	13	56	48	38
Liverpool	14	10	15	55	52	36
Blackburn	14	7	13	67	37	35
Arsenal	13	10	15	55	52	36
Sheff. United	13	7	15	55	52	36
West Ham	11	9	13	51	53	31
Stoke City	10	9	13	51	53	31
Blackpool	10	9	13	51	53	31
Sunderland	11	7	15	51	53	31
West Bromwich	9	10	14	53	52	38
Leicester City	8	12	13	51	53	31
Fulham	9	9	13	51	53	31
Birmingham City	7	9	18	50	58	28
Aston Villa	10	10	15	55	52	36
Wolverhampton	9	9	20	49	69	25

Shrewsbury	12	11	13	55	52	36
Reading	12	12	13	55	52	36
Southend	12	12	13	55	52	36
Scunthorpe	11	11	15	54	50	30
Queen's Park R	14	7	13	57	37	35
Wokington	10	12	14	43	41	24
Oldham	12	8	19	31	61	22
Colchester	10	12	14	43	41	24
Salisbury	8	10	25	44	73	18
Harrogate	6	13	20	47	70	19
Port Vale	6	12	19	29	67	17

## Division IV

Tramora	19	14	8	82	53	33
York City	20	6	10	78	33	29
Brighton	17	12	7	70	40	28
Grimsby	19	10	8	61	62	29
Oxford United	17	13	8	66	49	29
Millwall	17	12	7	70	40	28
Canter	18	6	15	91	35	29
Dunstable Rovers	18	6	15	91	35	29
Walsley	18	6	15	91	35	29
Crews Alexandra	13	12	13	73	59	29
Wrexham	13	12	13	73	59	29
Consett	13	7	13	53	42	29
Newport County	14	8	16	66	46	29
Doncaster	12	14	14	58	50	29
Hartlepool United	12	10	16	52	52	29
Aldershot	13	6	19	57	69	29
Grimsby	11	9	17	51	63	29
Southport	9	8	13	57	69	29
Halifax	11	8	15	55	69	29
Grimsby	11	8	15	55	69	29
Barrow	10	4	25	49	78	19
Bradford City	10	4	25	49	78	19
Scottdale	7	6	25	35	76	19

## SCOTTISH LEAGUE

### Division I

Hearts	19	5	8	77	40	33
Dundee United	18	6	8	82	54	33
Kilmarnock	17	6	8	82	54	33
Dundfermline	17	6	8	82	54	33
Angus	15	9	6	60	30	29
Celtic	14	5	9	65	36	29
Partick	11	12	6	67	36	29
St Johnstone	13	5	9	52	45	29
Morton	11	10	7	48	40	29
Dundee United	19	5	8	77	40	33
Aberdeen	9	7	11	46	46	30
St Johnstone	13	5	9	52	45	29
Partick	11	12	6	67	36	29
Motherwell	7	6	13	35	58	29
St Mirren	10	14	10	39	58	29
Falkirk	6	7	21	28	78	19
Airdrieonians	5	2	26	18	88	11
Third Lanark	5	2	26	18	88	11

### Division II

Stirling	21	6	2	70	30	29
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Newcastle United	20	6	9	80	42	46
Northampton	19	7	10	66	43	43
Notwich	18	7	10	56	43	43
Noton	18	7	9	72	48	43
Derby	13	11	10	71	59	40
Southampton	13	11	10	71	59	40
Stafford Palace	10	11	11	45	62	37
Leicester	12	11	11	66	57	37
Clystfield	14	7	13	51	53	31
Leicester	13	11	11	66	57	37
Plymouth	14	7	13	51	53	31
Manchester City	13	11	12	64	66	33
Preston	13	11	12	64	66	33
Coventry	10	14	16	37	60	33
Northampton	13	11	12	64	66	33
Bury	13	8	14	49	52	32
Huddersfield	13	8	14	49	52	32
Millwall	13	8	14	49	52	32
Cardiff	8	11	12	45	47	27
Swindon	9	11	12	45	47	27
Perthmouth	9	9	17	44	67	27
Carlion	10	9	16	47	62	26
Leyland Orient	10	9	16	47	62	26
Swansea	7	10	16	46	64	24

### Division III

Carlisle United	21	9	10	64	42	30
Hull City	21	9	10	64	42	30
Mansfield	19	10	10	60	50	48
Gillingham	19	10	10	60	50	48
Bristol Rovers	18	11	12	53	59	47
Bristol City	18	11	12	53	59	47
Brentford	18	11	12	53	59	47
Watford	18	11	12	53	59	47
Grimsby	12	16	9	37	52	40

## O.C. SOCCER SCORES

ENGLISH LEAGUE										
Division I										
Aston Villa 3, Wolverhampton Wanderers 2										
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## Six Players Cheated; Grid Wins Forfeited

FLAGSTAFF, ARIZ. (AP)—Arizona State College has been ordered by its regents to forfeit every football victory scored in 1963 and 1964—a total of 11 games—because some players were involved in a classroom cheating scandal.

The regents acted unanimously after ASC President J. Lawrence Walkup informed them that some of the six players involved in the incident had played in all of those games.

The players, including several counted on as starters next fall, were also ruled ineligible for intercollegiate sports in 1965.

Max Spillsbury resigned Jan. 31 as head football coach and later admitted having given academic credit over two years to athletes who did not attend classes.

No successor has been announced for Spillsbury, a former University of Arizona football star whose resignation was accepted unanimously by the regents Saturday.

The names of the players were not disclosed. A single basketball player was questioned and reportedly absolved of any blame.

## RACING RESULTS

### GOLDEN GATE

First Race—\$2,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs: At the Yard (Gibson) \$2.50 \$5.00 \$5.40 You B.K. (Taniguchi) 4.00 5.50 Ten Can Ten (Lewis) 7.50	Sixth Race—\$2,500, claiming, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs: Must Show (Jennings) \$2.50 \$5.00 \$5.40 Ground Attack (Longden) 6.00 4.40 Parade Light (Treviso) 5.00
Also ran: Coast Brandy, Cho Dick, First Town, Mark West, Serial Star, Patchwork, Mr. Redman, Blue Truce. Time 1:19.1-5.	Also ran: Royal Scorp, World Peace, 2nd, Shadowwings, Emblematic, Consider Me, Fine Time, Shavetail, Performance Boy, Count Celebrity. Time 1:19.2-5.
Second Race—\$2,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, one mile: Secret Police \$5.00 \$5.00 \$5.00 The Catterer (Van Lom) 6.50 5.00 Tamaacoo 2nd (Hindson) 6.50	Seventh Race—\$3,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs: Mr. Witch (Baze) \$6.00 \$12.00 \$2.40 The Hare (Hall) 1.20 2.40 Little Jockey (Burns) 2.80
Also ran: First Miss, Flying Glue, Candy Capital, Stabilized, Calm Lea, Darling Jane, Tough Raised. Time 1:38. Daily double paid \$36.60.	Also ran: Cruise, Grand Tour, Crazy Dancer, Poco Pussio, Rich Time. Time 1:00.2-5.
Third Race—\$2,500, two-year-olds, maiden colts and geldings, 4 1/4 furlongs: Post Road (Baze) \$7.20 \$12.50 \$5.40 Cocall (Ross) 3.80 3.40 Nilo Boy (Harmatz) 7.00	Eighth Race—\$4,000, allowances, four-year-olds and up, furlongs and miles: Little Sep (Pineda) \$9.00 \$3.50 \$2.60 Kial Ireland (Longden) 2.20 2.50 Dawn O'Say (Harmatz) 7.20
Also ran: Ruliah Verdict, Boston Post, Comic King, Sounderberry, Nordeen. Time 1:21.3-5.	Also ran: Travel Torch, Kell, Hi Hennie, Vais Pal, Comethytime. Time 1:42.3-5.
Fourth Race—\$3,000, allowances, maiden three-year-olds, colts and geldings, six furlongs: Porque (Ross) \$7.00 \$5.00 \$4.00 Kay Cee (Jennings) 12.00 7.50 Bl G (Treviso) 7.00	Ninth Race—\$2,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, one mile: Mr. Drag (Harmatz) \$5.40 \$4.00 \$3.00 Quake Proff (Hall) 11.30 4.20 Tamirish (Pineda) 2.40
Also ran: Equalization, Extra Quality, Barrowed Saver, Southern Tip, Fashion Center, Uncle Willie Jr., Ruliah Hope. Time 1:00.2-5.	Also ran: He's a Playboy, Brass King, Needles Jet, Erin Glen, Gurnea, Fleet Beta, End Dour. Time 1:37.2-5.
Fifth Race—\$2,500, claiming, three-year-olds, six furlongs: Bitter's Best (Treviso) \$2.60 \$5.00 \$5.40 Neofin (Ross) 4.00 2.20 Red Ballon (P. Moore) 4.00	
Also ran: Way of Living, Paris New York, Kentucky Turf, Glendive, Green With Envy, Arrivederci, Alticus, Win for Bill. Time 1:12.2-5.	



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## CASSIUS ASKS A QUESTION

# 'How Can One So Great Be So Good?'

By WILL GRIMSLEY

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Cassius Clay is a man of three faces.

One is that of Muhammad Ali, disciple of Elijah Muhammad and convert to the Black Muslim religion. Another is that of a boasting, poem-spouting loudmouth, heavyweight boxing champion of the world, who beats to all within earshot: "I am the greatest—I am the prettiest."

The third is that of Cassius Marcellus Clay, descendant of a Kentucky slave, humble as a baby, a man who hates violence and wants to raise chickens and pat little children on their heads.

Who is the real Cassius Clay?

He may be all of them, playing different roles at different times. He is the enigma of sports. Is he stupid, a dupe of the Muslims? Or is he smart as a fox? Is he truly a great fighter? Or is he a farce with a barrel of luck?

Make no mistake about it—he is a Muslim.

Down here where Cassius is training for his May 25 return fight with Sonny Liston, the word is out that the champion wants to soft-pedal his Muslim affiliations.

Is he ready to give it up as a bad thing?

"No, sir, not at all," Cassius blurted as sweat cascaded down his copper body in his cubby-

hole dressing room of the Fifth Street gym. "I got a tough fight coming up. I want to concentrate on my fight."

The champion said he adopted the Islam, or Black Muslim, faith seven years ago when he was just 16.

"I read some literature that a man passed out to me on the street. I got interested."

Cassius said he was lost until he saw the light.

### HE'S IN LOVE

"Now I am different. I have peace and understanding. I don't smoke. I don't drink. I don't eat unclean food. I don't look at women with lust in my eye. I pray five times a day."

"With all my money and fame, I am a target for temptation. But I live a perfect life."

People look at me and say: "How could a man be so great and so good?"

Despite the bitterness resulting from the murder of Malcolm X, a rebel from the Muslim movement, Cassius disdains bodyguards.

### AND HE'S LOVED

He rides to the gym in a red Cadillac, one of three he owns, with the top down. He moves freely and when he's through he goes to his little Miami bungalow in the Negro section of the city, and sits on the front lawn. He is the idol of school kids on the block.

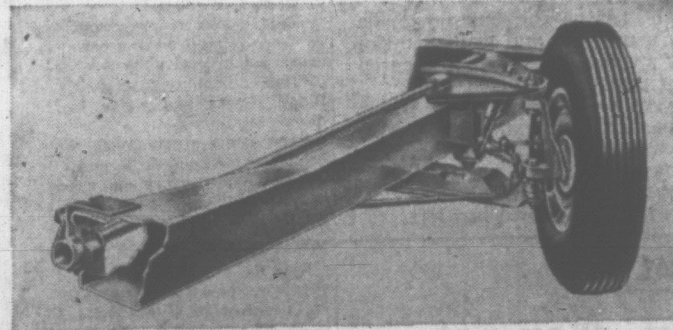
"Nothing can happen to me," he says. "I'm not afraid."

Cassius says he is certain Black Muslim leader Elijah Muhammad is the true messenger of God.

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## CEYLON

## Pro-West Parties Hold Lead

COLOMBO (AP)—Conservative political parties held a comfortable lead today in their election fight to oust Ceylon's leftist-backed prime minister, Mrs. Sirimavo Bandaranaike.

With results final in 79 of the country's 151 electoral districts, the world's only woman-prime minister and her allies had won 26 parliamentary seats. Opposition parties had 49. Independents had four.

Losses by the prime minister's Freedom Party made it mathematically impossible for her to form a one-party government to continue her five years of rule, during which Ceylon has come close to bankruptcy.

Opposition Leader Dudley Senanayake said that if he wins he will give Ceylon and foreign capitalists more scope than they have had under Mrs. Bandaranaike's program of public ownership of industry.

Top-ranking members of his United Nationalist Party hinted that victorious Senanayake would attempt to improve relations with the United States by paying compensation for American oil firms expropriated in 1962. The United States suspended economic aid to Ceylon in retaliation for the seizures.

**TRADE MINISTER OUSTED**  
Mrs. Bandaranaike's trade minister and the architect of the expropriations, T. B. Ilangaratne, was among top Communists defeated in Monday's balloting.

Colvin de Silva, pro-Russian secretary of Ceylon's Communist party, was also beaten.

Both Mrs. Bandaranaike, 49, and Senanayake, 53, a former prime minister, retained their seats in Parliament.

Mrs. Bandaranaike allied herself with a Marxist offshoot of the Communist party and had a no-contest understanding with the Communists themselves.

Senanayake told the Buddhists that Mrs. Bandaranaike and her leftist supporters threatened Buddhism, the faith of 6,000,000 of Ceylon's 11,000,000 people. He also emphasized moves by the prime minister to strengthen ties with China.

The winner faces a tough job trying to pull Ceylon out of its economic slump.

Mrs. Bandaranaike, the widow of Prime Minister Solomon Bandaranaike who was assassinated in 1959 by a Buddhist monk, won his seat in Parliament in 1960 and his party made her prime minister.

In the last Parliament, her party had 70 seats, the allied Marxist Sama Samaja had 12, and the Communist party had three.



MRS. BANDARANAIKE  
... retains seat

## Macdonald Gags On Bonner Stew

Attorney-General Robert Bonner's Statute Law Amendment Act was termed a "mulligan stew" by Alex Macdonald (NDU—Vancouver East) in the legislature Monday.

The NDP member made his statement during debate on Bill 84 introducing amendments to 16 existing acts.

"There are some good things in this bill and some bad," Mr. Macdonald said. "But how can the opposition say 'yes' or 'no' to such a mulligan stew?"

"There is for example the amendment to the Civil Service Act. This is a definite retraction

for public servants. They have no effective grievance procedure, no collective bargaining rights and this amendment denies them even the protection they have today from labor laws."

Amendments listed in the new bill which received second reading would bring full-time civil defence employees under the Civil Service Act but still denies civil servants the right of arbitration during labor disputes.

"The lowest of employees in this province can go to arbitration," Mr. Macdonald said. "But not the civil servant. This is a violation of justice."



**NOMINATED** Tuesday as Christian Democrat candidate for Bonn and Bad Godesberg districts in next September's parliamentary elections was Konrad Adenauer, 89, former West German chancellor.

## 'Gaglardi' Police' Bill Passes in Legislature

Opposition Leader Robert Strachan Monday night led an unsuccessful attempt to withhold legal immunity from highway department employees who break speed limits to chase speeders.

Mr. Strachan said he was in favor of highway patrols but they should be operated under attorney-general's department and not Highways Minister P. A. Gaglardi.

Attorney-General Robert Bonner said an amendment adding highway employees to the im-

munity enjoyed by police would only apply when they were operating emergency vehicles. He cited a recent case where a member of the highways department "courtesy patrol" was charged by a speeder he had chased.

Leo Nimsick (NDP-Cranbrook) said the proposed amendment to the Motor Vehicles Act would provide the opportunity "for developing a highway Gestapo in this province."

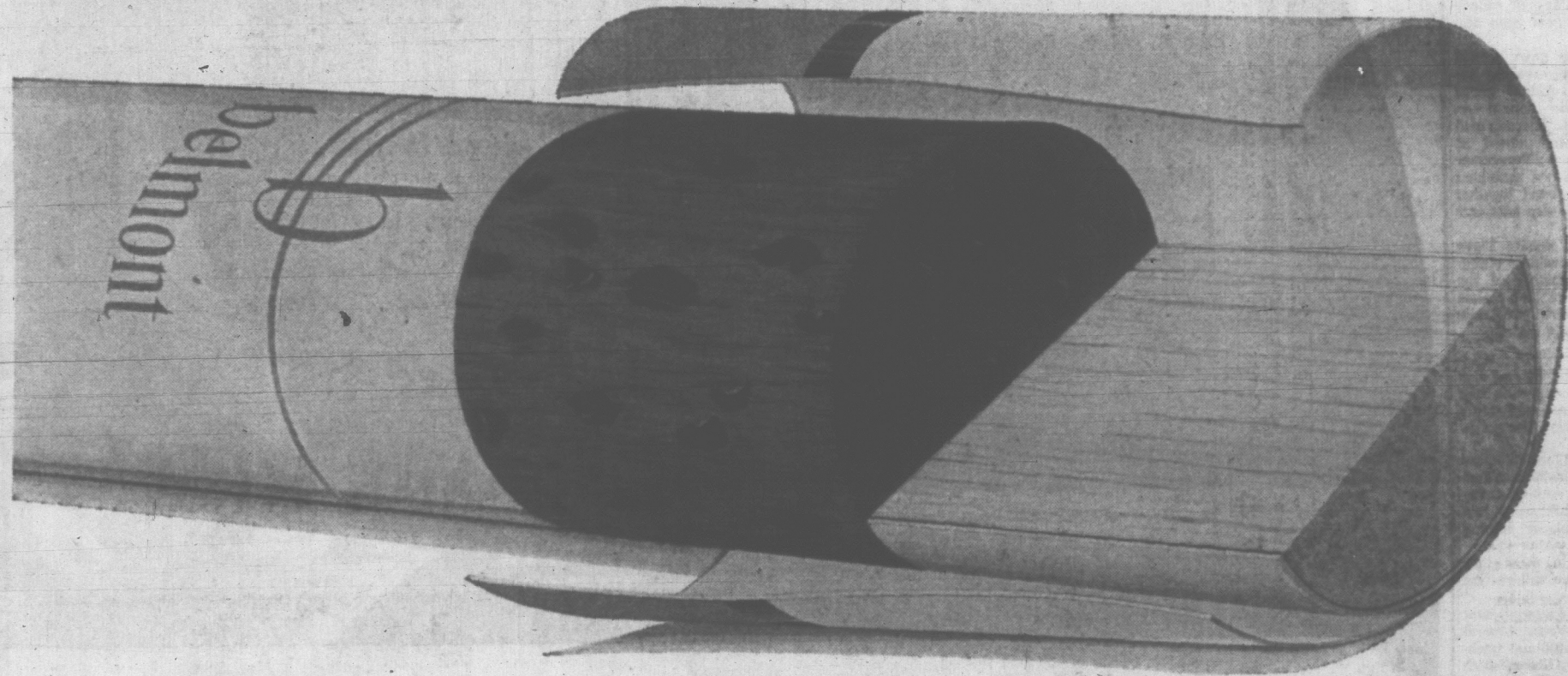
Mr. Bonner said about a dozen men are employed by the high-

ways department on "courtesy patrols" along the lower Fraser freeway.

Mr. Bonner said there was no intention to create a second traffic police organization under the highways department and Premier Bennett affirmed that a single police force was "government policy."

But Mr. Strachan said there was no doubt from Mr. Gaglardi's own statements that the highways minister wanted to develop a highway patrol under his own control that had police powers.

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## Minister Plans House Report In Sibley Case

By VICTOR MACKIE  
Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA—Immigration Minister John R. Nicholson was to confer with Prime Minister Pearson in Ottawa today and probably will make his report to the Commons Wednesday on the Prof. Mulford Q. Sibley case.

The minister was meeting with Winnipeg immigration officials in Winnipeg this morning. It was not expected he would be able to catch a plane that would get him back to Ottawa in time to make his report to Parliament when the House opens.

In talks with Prime Minister Pearson he will set out the details of the case which has caused a furor in the Commons.

Monday it saw Opposition Leader John Diefenbaker in an angry mood attack the immigration department officials and when Prime Minister Pearson rose to their defence he accused the prime minister of seeking to "hide" behind the civil service.

Mr. Nicholson is understood to have accepted the judgment of James Cross, director of special services services for the immigration branch.

Prime Minister Pearson has appealed to the MPs to await Mr. Nicholson's report to the House. Mr. Nicholson is comparatively new in the post of citizenship and immigration. That department came under heavy fire recently for allowing George Lincoln Rockwell, leader of the United States Nazi party into this country.

The immigration post is a "hot spot" in the government because as one government member pointed out, "You're damned if you do and damned if you don't."

Opposition Leader Diefenbaker ignored the prime minister's appeal in the House to wait for the minister's return before discussion the substance of the Sibley case. New Democratic Party Leader T. C. Douglas also criticized the prime minister contending that he owed the House a better explanation as to why the prime minister was not able to get more up-to-date information than he gave the House at 2:30 p.m. Ottawa time Friday.



## Kiernan Denies 'Dark, Devious Scheme' Claims

Recreation Minister Kenneth Kiernan told the legislature Monday he saw nothing wrong with private developers building a chair lift, restaurant and road in the Cypress Bowl area of West Vancouver to open up a ski resort on Crown land.

He said the provincial government was tied up with developing skiing facilities at Seymour and Manning Parks and could not do the same at Cypress Bowl at the same time.

He also angrily denounced a letter from David Barrett (NDP—Dewdney) asking about Cypress Bowl which failed to draw his attention to a 1944 order-in-council obtaining the area in return for some timber in the interior—a key item in Mr. Barrett's subsequent attack on the minister.

**NO MORE CHANCES**

"I have never had any member of this assembly pull that kind of trick on me before and I assure the member from Dewdney he won't get another chance," he said, threatening to do no more than acknowledge Mr. Barrett's letters in future.

Mr. Kiernan said he did not take steps to have Cypress Bowl designated a provincial park because his department had no money to develop it now.

He said he resented the implication that park status was not given the bowl area because of "some dark, devious scheme which is based on a fallacy and bounds from fallacy to fallacy like a mountain goat gone berserk."

The legislature gave second reading to a bill creating the machinery for regional parks boards after the debate on Cypress Bowl. Mr. Kiernan said the legislation was aimed at allowing Southern Vancouver Island and lower mainland municipalities to band together to provide and develop adequate parks systems.

Earlier in the debate Dave Barrett (NDP—Dewdney) claimed that the promoters of the Cypress Bowl area had staked out the entire park area with mineral and mining claims.

**"SEWN UP"**

"This means that no one else has access," he said. "No one else can build a road or develop the area in any way. The entire thing is sewn up."

Mr. Barrett said four directors of Alpine Outdoor Recreation, the private group seeking to develop one of the park areas, had claims to four placer mining leases.

"There's gold in them thar hills, but the public will get the shaft," he said.

Mr. Barrett's claims drew strong retorts from Liberal leader Ray Perrault and backbencher Gordon Gibson, both representing North Vancouver.

Mr. Gibson told the NDP to "mind its own business."

"We, Mr. Perrault and myself, represent the people of that area and we find they want a park. The member from Dewdney should mind his own business in his own riding," Mr. Gibson said.

### NO SUMMONS

## Knuckle Rap Administered To RCMP

A Burnaby motorist who accused RCMP constables of using "Gestapo tactics" has been assured by Attorney-General Robert Bonner that "their knuckles have been rapped."

Mr. Bonner Monday night told The Times the complaint made several weeks ago by Patrick Gordon Shea of Burnaby had been carefully investigated and found to be legitimate.

He said he wrote Mr. Shea informing him that the officers involved had been reprimanded and "we hope no other person has cause to make the same complaint again."

Mr. Shea complained because he was arbitrarily arrested in a traffic case.

He was stopped for speeding in Revelstoke last year and told by police that he would receive a ticket at his Burnaby home through the mail. Nothing ever came.

About six months later an RCMP officer arrested him in his Burnaby office and he was hustled to jail despite his offer to appear voluntarily immediately after completing an interview with a client.

Mr. Shea speculated that police must have obtained an arrest warrant by alleging he had evaded a summons when in fact he had never received one.

## Britain Battles Rebels In Aden

LONDON (AP) — British troops have gone into action again in Aden against rebels from the north, Defence Secretary Denis Healey told the House of Commons Monday.

He rejected opposition suggestions that Britain take up the matter with the United States because it supplies aid to the United Arab Republic, which in turn has been supporting the rebels.

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## THEFT, PIRACY CHARGES STUDIED

### Legal Squall Hits Tilikum; Rebel at Helm

By PETE LOUDON  
Storm warnings were issued today for those who sailed off with the famous dugout Tilikum last week. G. R. "Rebel" Mowat, a tourist operator, has applied

to lay charges against the trucking firm which carried her from Thunderbird Park to the new Maritime Museum.

And research suggests that if the ship is displayed there,

where an admission fee is charged, Victoria will be shattering a trust imposed 35 years ago.

This new chapter in the history of the 105-year-old vessel which all but girdled

## ADMISSION FEE BREAKS TRUST

the globe in the early 1900s is still unfolding — but this much is known today:

Last Tuesday a low-bed trailer raised the three-ton Tilikum from her cement berth in the provincially-owned park at Belleville and Douglas and carried her to the old courthouse on Bastion Square where the Maritime Museum is opening this fall.

Mr. Mowat took offence. He said Tilikum was donated to the city in 1930 and without permission of the city, it could not be legally moved.

"I talked to several policemen and detectives Saturday, but they would not lay a charge and said I would have to see the prosecutor," said Mr. Mowat.

He said he is a citizen of Victoria, therefore a part owner of the three-ton vessel. So Monday he saw Mr. Birkett.

Mr. Mowat said Mr. Birkett said he would have to look into the matter before laying any charges.

**'MISUNDERSTANDING'**

Mr. Birkett told The Times today, "We'll look into it. There may be an explanation. All I am concerned with is the possibility of criminal charges. This seems to be a misunderstanding."

"I told Mr. Mowat we'd have to hold an investigation before charges could be laid," said Mr. Birkett.

Col. J. W. D. Symons, director of the Maritime Museum, told the Times earlier that the transfer of the dugout had been arranged by Dr. Clifford Carl of the Provincial Museum, who has charge of exhibits in Thunderbird Park.

**HARD TO TELL**

Dr. Carl conceded that actual ownership of the vessel is not easy to determine.

Mr. Mowat says he can remember when the Tilikum was donated to Victoria by Greenwich Yacht Club of London, England, and brought here free by Furness Lines steamship.

Mr. Mowat says no one but the city council has the right to move the ship. Where it was, it could be seen and enjoyed by everyone. Now it will be seen only by museum visitors, after they had paid admittance.

**NO CHARGE**

This point brings up another concern.

A search by the provincial library and archives staff has found nothing to show ownership except for two contrary stories. One indicates the ship was given to the city and the other says it was given to the province.

But both agree that it was given on condition that no charge ever be made for anyone to see it.

The book Western Shores, by J. H. Hamilton, writing under the pseudonym "Capt. Kettle" in 1933 says:

"The Tilikum remained in England for a number of years, having been acquired by the Greenwich Yacht Club as a treasured memento. In 1930, by the generosity of two members, an offer was made to the B.C. government to present the historic canoe for public exhibition in B.C., on the provision that no charge be made to see it."

**LAW OF SEA**

Another anonymous account in the archives says: "After arriving at Margate in 1904 the Tilikum

passed into the hands of E. W. and A. Byford of Greenwich Yacht Club. The owners donated her to the city of Victoria on condition that no charge be made for her display and that the city should bear the expense of her transshipment to Victoria."

Who owns Tilikum? Who knows? Perhaps if no one can prove ownership, the law of the sea takes over and she goes to whoever first gets a line on her.

But that wouldn't solve the problem of her display by admission only and the breaking of such a solemn and ancient covenant wouldn't be very British, now would it?



A SAD VIGIL is maintained by Rebel Mowat at Tilikum's last stand.

## \$3 Million for Island On Public Works List

### \$300,000 Allotted DOT Central Agency

The federal government intends to spend \$3 million on public works, defence and department of transport projects on Vancouver Island in the coming fiscal year.

Roughly \$2 million will be spent in the Greater Victoria area.

The estimates, filed in the House of Commons Monday, forecast a national spending program of \$7.4 billion.

Largest single expenditure is for the previously announced federal building at Vancouver Street and Pandora Avenue. It will house the income tax offices, national employment service and unemployment insurance offices. Cost: \$800,000.

**GRAVING DOCK**

Also in Victoria district is an outlay of \$287,000 for the Esquimalt graving dock water system.

To be spent for Victoria airport—\$479,000 for runway improvements plus \$175,000 to replace the marine radio station and install new equipment which would allow the control tower to keep check on a larger number of aircraft at any one time. The radio station is located at Gordon Head.

**DOT AGENCY**

One of the most interesting developments from the point of view of Victoria waterfront watchers is contained in an allotment of \$300,000 to create a new DOT central agency here. This involves provision of a single wharf, shops and offices to care for all eight vessels based here by the department—three weather ships, two coast guard vessels and three light-house tenders.

**TWO SITES**

Two locations have been discussed, one adjacent to the British American Paint Company on Belleville and one near Colwood on Esquimalt harbor.

The inner harbor location has backing of many DOT people who would have a shorter distance to go to work. It could have the added advantage that

it would bring more shipping to downtown Victoria, which could enhance the city's tourist potential, a department spokesman thought.

He said the decision could be affected by official representations from civic officials in this area.

**RADIO STATION**

Elsewhere on Vancouver Island there is a \$154,000 development, an air radio station and other improvements, for Bull Harbor near Kyuquot and \$50,000 for Kyuquot harbor improvements.

Vananda, on Texada Island, is listed for \$71,000 wharf repairs. Airport improvements at Campbell River will be allotted \$108,000 and at Port Hardy for the same purpose there is a scheduled outlay of \$292,000.

Nanaimo harbor improvements are estimated at \$50,000 with like amounts being set aside for a wharf and float at East Bamfield and harbor improvements at Kelsey Bay.

## Finishing Touches Approved

City police commission today approved \$56,500 worth of finishing touches to the renovated police station in Centennial Square.

The chairman, Mayor R. B. Wilson, said the commission is "pleased monies are being made available to do the job properly and finish the building the way it should be done."

The commission approved of a city council decision to spend money in tax land sale fund to finish and furnish traffic court and magistrate's quarters, install an elevator and put a decorative screen around three walls of the police station.

In addition, Chief John Gregory was satisfied there is no security problem involved in erecting a glazed aluminum screen over the barred cell block.

Centennial Square committee members had asked his opinion, fearing that an agile accomplice of someone in jail could scale the screen to one of the windows and pass things inside.

## Ask The Times

Q. Where can I get information on water pollution?—A.W. A. From Greater Victoria Metropolitan Board of Health, 1947 Cook St.

Q. Where can I get information on the Canadian Universities Services Overseas, a Canadian organization somewhat like the American Peace Corps?—D.L.

A. Contact Dr. J. C. Ogilvie, Room 115, Paul Building, University of Victoria.

Across within a question answered is invited to send the problem along to the Times, addressed to "Ask the Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve problems or legal problems. Nor will it attempt to act as a referee in disputes between individuals. These should be submitted to a dealer.



**WHAT'S THIS?** Mother cat and her kittens? Nothing unusual about that. But look closer. There's something different about the young cat on the left. If you think it looks like a dog, you're dead right... it is a dog. The odd-man-out adopted his new mother the day his own mother died. The family is presently living at Vic-

toria SPCA headquarters. But mother cat won't be keeping her family too long. When Bonzo is old enough he will return to his owner, Mrs. C. B. Jameson, 2420 Lansdowne. Kitty will just have to depend on someone taking a fancy to her. She was found straying in the Duke Road area. (Times Photo.)

## Water Shortage Warning Given Northern Saanich

### TOPICS of the DAY

Archie Wallace and Ken Oliver have been nominated vice-presidents elect of the Rotary Club of Victoria for 1965.

They will take office with president elect Jack House on July 1.

Other officers nominated are Neville Goss, honorary secretary and George Maycock, treasurer. Mr. Maycock who is also a club director has been treasurer for five years.

Mrs. Vivian Moore remains as executive secretary of the club.

George R. Harvey has been elected president of the Royal Canadian Legion, Esquimalt Dockyard Branch No. 172.

Other officers elected for 1965 were: Norman Davey and H. O. Osborne, vice-presidents; J. D. McIntyre, Sgt.-at-Arms; H. K. Avery, W. A. Smith, H. H. Tate, A. M. Muse, C. S. Williams, T. R. Whitley, L. E. Smith, executive committee; William Stewart, branch service officer and Archdeacon A. E. Hendy, branch padre.

St. Joseph's Hospital staff will attend a series of demonstrations and lectures this week to train for firefighting and evacuation of patients in case of fire.

Allan Regan, 1325 Kings Road, earlier convicted of impaired driving, was fined \$350 in city court this morning.

Magistrate William Ostler allowed him to keep his licence on condition he drives only on business for four months.

A 21-year-old man pleaded guilty in Saanich court today to what Magistrate William Ostler called "a mean and nasty little theft."

Arthur Hawes, 3533 Saanich Road, stole \$2.75 from Loomer Lanes Saturday. Evidence was that he kept score for some youngsters at the bowling alley.

He took their score card and 55 cents payment from each of them but only turned in 10 cents of the money was recovered.

Hawes was remanded in custody to March 30 for sentence.

A serious shortage of water will face the whole of the north Saanich peninsula, including Central Saanich, within three years.

This warning was sounded today by Central Saanich Reeve R. Gordon Lee and the Sidney Waterworks District.

Both are concerned at the pressure being exerted on the provincial government to permit the establishment of large subdivisions in the unorganized district of North Saanich.

"Establishment of any large subdivision could aggravate the water problem much sooner," said Reeve Lee. "There's a limit to our water supply."

With the exceptions of Sidney and Brentwood, Central Saanich, from its Elk Lake water system, provides the whole of North Saanich with water.

Sidney and Brentwood draws its water from wells.

A spokesman for the Sidney Waterworks District said two additional wells are now being sunk to provide additional water for Sidney.

"Even with these extra wells we expect a water problem this

summer," he said. "We will have to rely on Central Saanich water to make up the shortage."

(Sidney has an understanding with Central Saanich that it will supply the village with water if it runs short.)

Reeve Lee said the Elk Lake water system will supply Sidney with water as long as it is possible.

"But if Sidney continues to expand as it is now, it won't be long before there won't be enough water to go around," he said. "The way the area around Deep Cove is also expanding, it is likely to aggravate the problem."

**LOCAL NEEDS**

The Brentwood water district feels it has sufficient water to look after local needs for at least three years. This would depend on the growth of the population in the district.

What is concerning waterworks experts is the drop of the water table in the Saanich peninsula. This means that wells have to be dug deeper. In some areas, wells dry up in mid-summer.

## REFERENDUMS ALLOWED BY AMENDMENT

### Mini-Metro Modification Lauded

Mini-metro was modified Monday night as Municipal Affairs Minister Dan Campbell bowed to mounting criticism.

The move was greeted today by Reeve Hugh Curtis of Saanich and Reeve Allan Cox of Oak Bay, previous critics of the bill. But Mayor R. B. Wilson, previously warm to the joint services bill, was non-committal.

The modification came in the form of an amendment in the legislature to Bill 83 which permits creation of regional district boards to handle inter-municipal problems.

The original bill was criticized because it provided no specific method for municipalities to "opt out" of arrangements initiated by the minister.

**REFERENDUMS**

The changes permit councils to hold ratepayer referendums within 60 days of the minister making his recommendation on which functions a particular regional board should undertake.

This would allow ratepayers to decide which functions their municipality would participate in as part of a regional district. Reeve Cox called the changes "very sensible."

"It would appear to do away with objections because it puts democracy back in the hands of ratepayers and it takes the onus off councils for making decisions."

"I think this is desirable. I don't think councils have a clear mandate to delegate powers to someone else."

Reeve Curtis was more cautious in his approval. "It meets some of the criticism, I'm pleased—it's something."

At Saanich council Monday night, the original bill came under heavy fire.

Councillors unanimously approved a motion voicing vigorous opposition to the bill without much more consideration being given it.

The bill was called "sick legislation," "a real dictator-

ship" and a threat to every person in the province.

Reeve Curtis said there was general approval of joint services plans when municipalities could opt in, but the legislation reversed this.

Coun. Ed Lum said the minister may amalgamate any area he pleases without the residents of that area having any vote on the subject.

Councillors criticized powers for regional districts to borrow money without ratepayer approval.

**PEANUTS**





SHOPPING GUIDE

# Wigs Are New Status Symbol for Dolls, Too

By Penny Saver

It never fails. About this time every year, Penny's family suddenly develops an epidemic of birthdays and it runs through the whole lot of us, something like the measles. For a couple of months, cakes and gifts come forth like a rash and when it's all over, I feel completely drained. By the time I recuperate, it's Christmas!

My second youngest niece has her birthday coming up and I was absolutely stuck for a gift idea. But, when looking around one store, I found the ideal answer. This young lady is the proud possessor of a family of well-known "grown-up" dolls and I discovered some items in their new spring wardrobes which would solve my problem perfectly.

As you know, wigs are fast becoming a status symbol in many parts of North America and it is not too strange for a woman to own a number of wigs in different colors. Well, now you can buy wigs for dolls too, in blonde, brunette and redhead colors.

Selling for \$3.98 is a kit containing three wigs in various shades. All are styled in the latest fashion coiffures and are of deep-rooted plastic hair. Included in the kit is a head-block, too, where your youngsters can arrange and change the hair-do without the problems of manipulating the doll at the same time.

Accessories for these dolls are copied straight from the famed jewelry houses of the world. A string of matched pearls and earrings is selling for 59 cents and young "mothers" will have a lot of fun dressing their dolls with necklaces and bracelets just like Mom's.

In the new line of clothes for spring, there are offered a number of costumes for these dolls. One I thought was particularly charming is a mandarin costume, with the brocade overdress, tiny lute and blocked shoes, selling for \$1.98.

(I'm told that many people who collect dolls often like these for their collections.)

Other costumes, with all accessories included, are selling at the same price.

Lacking in ideas for gifts for the younger set? Give Penny a call, then, at 323-3131, and ask her where to shop.

## THE BETTER HALF By Bob Barnes



"Would you kindly pass the olives . . . I think they're in the refrigerator."

## WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

### Choose Clothes To Hide Your Figure Problems

Here are the hints about your figure, personality and clothes I promised you, to help with your spring shopping.

First stand in front of a mirror and list any defects in figure, weight and stature. Always keep these in mind when choosing your wardrobe.

Unless you have an unlimited clothes budget select a color scheme. This will enable you to wear the same hat and shoes with many different costumes.

If you are overweight, do not wear gowns made of a clinging material. The goods should have body—even though you have too much. Select materials which have a duff finish—no shine.

Do not top a large or round or broad face with a little flat hat.

One mistake many women make is to fit a dress tightly over the fat portions of the body. This emphasizes the pad of fat. Clothes should fit easily over the larger measurements.

If you have a slim waist, highlight it with a snug fit. One warning—if the upper hips have deposits of fat, do not be too extreme with a very tight belt or waistline.

Large women should never wear materials with large designs.

Wide belts are not for large women. No belts or very narrow belts, preferably of the same color, should be their choice.

Belts which dip in the back are slimming.

If you have a short neck, buy clothes with no collar or a very narrow collar or have the collar narrowed or removed with alterations.

Small women should never wear large hats—they overpower them. They should especially avoid hats with wide brims unless they wish to look like mushrooms.

Many designers feel that it is important to discover your type and then avoid the mistakes you might make otherwise. Without such self-analysis you might envision yourself as swooning in a cloud of pale organza when what you really need to look chic is a smart simply-cut gown of an aggressive color or black.

If you are the clinging-vine, pleasingly plump or little girl type, avoid bows and ruffles and fluffy clothes like you would the devil.

If you would like to have my leaflet "Clothes to Fit Your Figure and Personality," send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for it to Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

## Auxiliary Hosts Members

The main lounge of the nurses' residence of Royal Jubilee Hospital was decorated with arrangements of forsythia and daffodils, recently when the Junior Auxiliary to the hospital entered

tained at a coffee party for new and prospective members.

Guests were welcomed by president, Mrs. J. Pennington, vice-presidents, Mrs. G. H. Carter and Mrs. A. P. Rainey, and past president, Mrs. R. W. Campbell.

Presiding at the refreshment tables were Mrs. K. W. L. Scace, Mrs. W. A. Trenholme, Mrs. T. A. Brown, Mrs. R. H. Dumbleton, Mrs. H. L. Webster, Mrs. F. G. Aldous, Mrs. D. Longridge and Mrs. A. Worthington. In charge of floral arrangements was Mrs. M. M. Priestman.

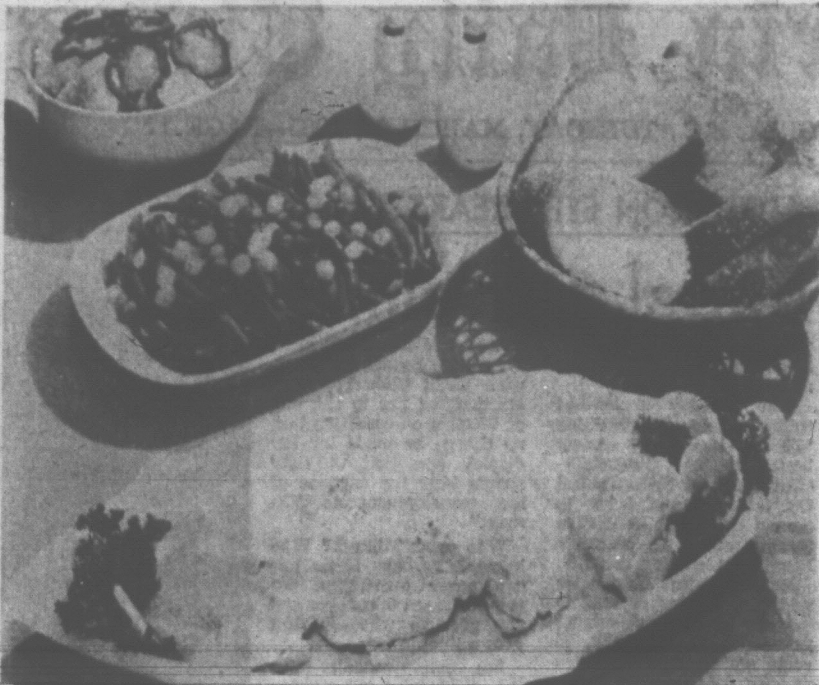
Conveners, Mrs. E. E. Chamberlain and Mrs. D. C. McCullough, were assisted by committee members, Mrs. C. M. Mair, Miss Marianne Fraser, Mrs. Priestman, Mrs. N. B. Cummins, Mrs. P. J. Steel, Mrs. K. R. Gowan and Mrs. W. J. Williams.

### BE SMART—

What could be more breath-taking than you, adrift on a dance floor in a cloud of flowered silk chiffon, stabilized by a stream-lined sheath of black rayon crepe beneath? The flowers are soft pastel which work magic when married to soft, sooty black.

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Serve fish fillets with a distinctive sauce made from a handy package of tomato vegetable with alphabet noodles soup mix. Besides being unusually tasty, it gives you extra nutritional dividends.

## Ring Changes With Fish Dishes By Complementing With Sauces

Whether fish stars on your dinner table regularly, just on Fridays or only during Lent, it can have a distinctive new taste each time it appears with a variety of sauces or a simple change in cooking methods. Broiled, pan-fried or deep-fried in batter, served hot or cold, it's especially recommended by nutritionists for growing families, for it helps develop strong bones and teeth.

Modern freezing and shipping methods have put an almost endless variety of fish within

reach of every Canadian home-maker, at prices that make it a gourmet substitute for meat at budget prices. With a few recipes for quick-and-easy sauces tucked into her recipe file, some packaged soup on her shelf and some frozen fish fillets in her frozen compartment, no homemaker need be "stumped" for a dinner menu on even the busiest of days.

A tomato vegetable sauce is an especially delicious combination with pan-fried or baked fish

fillets. Made with a handy package of the new tomato vegetable soup with alphabet noodles, which combines nine vegetables, it offers extra dividends of flavor and nutrition, with a minimum investment of time and energy.

### FISH FILLETS WITH TOMATO VEGETABLE SAUCE

One tablespoon butter or shortening, 2 tablespoons minced green pepper, ¼ cup minced onion, 1½ cups boiling water, 1 envelope (2½ ounces) tomato vegetable soup with alphabet noodles, 1 package fish fillets, ½ cup sour cream.

In saucepan, melt butter or shortening and saute green pepper and onion until tender, about five minutes. Add water and tomato vegetable soup mix. Cover and let stand 15 minutes. Pan-fry or bake the fish fillets.

Stir the sour cream into the tomato vegetable sauce just before serving and heat, but do not boil. Serve over the fillets. Makes four servings.

## CLUBWOMEN'S NEWS

Name Delegates — Mrs. R. Nuttall and Mrs. L. Foster were appointed delegates to the provincial convention to be held in May, at the recent meeting of Pro Patria Branch, No. 31, Royal Canadian Legion, Mrs. C. Ashdown will be flagbearer. The meeting was held in the legion hall club rooms, Courtney Street. Members wishing to attend the convention may contact Mrs. O. Cook, 382-7699. Mrs. O. Berard reported on the zone council meeting. It was announced that a Vimy tea and card party will be held on Friday, April 9, from 2 to 4 p.m., in the club rooms.

Penny Auction — The sum of \$9.75 was realized from a penny auction held at the recent meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to Trafalgar Branch, No. 42, Royal Canadian Legion, in the Legion

Hall, Broad Street. Mrs. A. J. Brown presided. Plans for the coming convention were discussed. Following the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. I. Sinclair and Mrs. T. Parks.

Presentation — Mrs. R. E. Horsfield was presented with a silver spoon by Mrs. Walter Norton at the recent meeting of St. George's Anglican Women's Auxiliary. The presentation was to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the diocesan WA board. Mrs. George Laundry presided and was assisted by Mrs. G. H. Holmes and Mrs. Edward Adams in the opening devotional. Plans were discussed for the annual wayside sale to be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. Funds for material were voted to sewing convener, Mrs. A. W. Barber. Mrs. Holmes reported on the World Day of Prayer service held in St. George's Church, Ganges, and Mrs. Laundry and Mrs. Norton reported on recent annual Diocesan annual WA meeting held in Victoria. Following the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Barber.

### To See Play

Members of the Women's Committee to the Greater Victoria Art Gallery and their friends are making up a party to attend the Bastion Studio's presentation of "Life With Father" at the McPherson Playhouse on Wednesday evening. Planning to attend are Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hadfield, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. T. Jueisberg, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Henry, Mrs. P. Arnoldi and Mr. W. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. John Di Castri, Mrs. W. L. Fahey, Mr. and Mrs. H. Evans, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Dennis, Mrs. W. McIntyre, Dr. and Mrs. K. Leslie, Mrs. R. A. H. Lort, Cmdr. Hal Bolus and Mrs. Bolus, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. R. McKean, Mr. and Mrs. J. Trumpy, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Baylis, Mrs. F. E. Scoates, Mr. and Mrs. G. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Robin Skelton, Dr. and Mrs. C. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. G. Wenman. Hosting parties of four will be Dr. and Mrs. A. Daysmith and Mr. and Mrs. C. Copejand.

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DEAR ABBY . . .

## She Needs Discipline!

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



DEAR ABBY: My daughter is 16 years old. She walks home from school, which is about a quarter of a mile, and the minute she walks in the house she turns on the TV set. She looks at it until suppertime, which is about 6:30, and right after supper she will call up her girl friend. They talk anywhere from half an hour to an hour. When she hangs up her boy friend calls her. Then they talk anywhere from half an hour to an hour. About 10 o'clock she starts in doing her homework. She gets terrible report cards and complains that the work is too hard for her. It's not easy to tell a 16-year-old girl what to do, but something has to be done or we will have to burn the schoolhouse down to get her out. Have you any suggestions?

HER MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: It won't help you now, but you should have started telling your daughter what to do when she was six! That is the sad story, Mother. The same knob that turns the TV on, turns it off. Exercise it until she gets her grades up. Limit her telephone conversations to 10 minutes. And if a schoolhouse burns down, they don't give the kids diplomas. They build another school.

DEAR ABBY: I am confused about something and need your help. When a person gets an invitation to any anniversary or birthday party, and down at the bottom of the invitation it says, "No Gifts, Please," doesn't that mean no packaged gifts? That they would rather have the money to buy one good gift, or use the money to go on a trip or something? It seems to me that a person would have to be very cheap to accept an invitation to a party and not bring any kind of gift at all. Thank you.

CONFUSED

DEAR CONFUSED: YOU ARE confused. One who is invited to a party has a right to assume that the pleasure of his PRESENCE—not PRESENTS—is de-

sired. "NO GIFTS" means exactly that. NO GIFTS—packaged or negotiable.

DEAR ABBY: What do you think of a person who would serve harmless-looking punch spiked with vodka on the sly? I am not an alcoholic, but I don't drink anything intoxicating because it makes me sick. I went to a Ladies' Aid Club meeting recently and I drank several glasses of the punch my hostess served. I didn't know at the time that it was spiked with vodka, but when it made me sick afterwards, I put two and two together. I called my hostess and told her what I thought of her. Now I am wondering if I should let the other ladies in the club know that this woman served spiked punch. That way, at least, they would have the choice of drinking it or leaving it alone.

NON-DRINKER

### CLUB CALENDAR

Card party, Evening Branch, Woman's Auxiliary to St. Mark's Church, Friday at 8 p.m., parish hall, Tenynson St. Bridge and whist, prizes and refreshment. Open to public.

Spring tea and sale of home cooking, Victoria Women's Institute, Wednesday at 2:30 p.m., Hudson's Bay Douglas Room. Open to members and friends. Door prizes.

DEAR NON-DRINKER: If you are still on speaking terms with the hostess who spiked the punch, tell her that in the future she should inform her guests that the punch is punched up a bit. And if you want to be absolutely certain that the other ladies are duly warned, tell them yourself. It's better to be twice warned than not at all.

Problems? Write to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Calif. For a personal reply, enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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# Women

Women's Editor

Pat Dufour

Of Personal Interest

## ENTERTAIN AT TEA

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. George R. Pearkes will entertain at the tea hour in Government House, Thursday. Their guests will be officers and members of the S.O.S. Club, Chapter No. 5, Order of the Eastern Star.

### Hear Vows

A number of Vancouver residents travelled to Victoria to hear marriage vows exchanged between Miss Anne Sutherland and Mr. Malcolm Cummings. They included Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark, Mr. Alf-Levor, Mrs. L. Pilkington and Karen, the Misses Barbara Wright, Maureen Fry, Kay Livingstone, Margaret Wether, Mr. Patrick Fry, Mr. Derek Fry and Mr. J. Campbell. Other out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Knight of Tofino, B.C.; Mrs. Susan Jacobson, David and Rieley, of Rusk, B.C.; Mrs. R. Rush and Christine of Spokane, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Gaudette of North Surrey, B.C., and Mr. and Mrs. R. Jones of Haney, B.C.

### Baby Shower

A yellow basket, set before a chair decorated with tinsel streamers and bows, held gifts at the recent baby shower given for Mrs. Brian Milner by Mrs. Ed Mober in her McKenzie Road home. White hydrangeas and purple violets en corsage were presented to the guest of honor. Guests included Mrs. J. Ainscough, Mrs. David Meservie, Mrs. David Hanson, Mrs. Lorne Fleming, Mrs. Percy Mober, Mrs. Charles Brousson, Mrs. J. Kerr, Mrs. Tom Cave, Mrs. George Reid, Mrs. J. Woods, Mrs. C. C. Clifford, Mrs. Arthur M. Spent, Mrs. D. Krieger, the Misses Beverly Clifford, Arvela Penner and Janice Brousson.

### 'Open House'

The Dallas Road home of Mrs. Martha Norris was the scene of an "open house," Sunday afternoon, when she celebrated her 98th birthday. Among the special guests attending were her nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Norris, and her grand-nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Norris Jr., all of Seattle, Wash. Other guests included friends and fellow members of James Bay United Church. Mrs. Norris was born in Halifax, N.S., in 1867, and lived in Los Angeles, Calif., and Seattle, before coming to Victoria in 1950.

### Many Attend

Over 70 reservations were made by members of the Uplands Golf Club and their friends for a dance held in the clubhouse on Saturday evening from 9 p.m. to midnight. Fred Usher's orchestra played for dancing. The dance was given by Mrs. K. Dawson, Mrs. W. Allen and Mrs. G. McWilliams. Among those who attended were Mr. John Tribe, president, and Mrs. Tribe; Mr. and Mrs. R. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. G. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cave.

### NO QUARTER ASKED OR GIVEN

## Peanut Butter Primes Four-Year Battle

WASHINGTON (CP) — The great peanut butter debate in the United States continues. In a nutshell, it pits the modern blended super-smooth brand against the product of yesterday that might tear holes in the bread and cement itself to the roof of the mouth-but-tasted unmistakably of peanuts. The debate has been flourishing for about four years now among the vast army of peanut butter devotees. No quarter is asked and none given. Even a Canadian doctor wintering in Florida has contributed, firmly on the side of more peanuts for peanut butter and strongly lauding the Canadian product which he imports annually.

The issue dates from 1959 when the Food and Drug Administration of the U.S. health department decided that peanut butter should contain at least 95 per cent peanuts.

### PUBLIC COMMENTED

Manufacturers disagreed and the latest proposal is for a limit of 90-per-cent peanut content. Public comment was solicited and more than 1,000 letters have been received and filed. A minority is satisfied with peanut butter as it stands today, smoothed out for "spreadability" with vegetable oils and containing other additives. It is usually homogenized or otherwise processed to prevent separation of peanut oil from the ground nuts.

Some letters echo the man who advised the government to "just keep your cotton-picking hands out of peanut butter." These say manufacturers and the public can decide. Many letters offer blanket condemnation of modern food-processing practices. Junior consumers in scrawling script have threatened quickly never to eat another

tooth in the food they love if:

1. Modern peanut butter is tampered with.
2. Modern peanut butter isn't tampered with.

But the case for the majority is stated with conviction and some eloquence by Dr. George R. Baird, a Canadian doctor who has wintered in Florida for the last 10 years.

### HELP VISITORS

Dr. Baird doesn't disclose his Canadian hometown but he sat down last Christmas Day in St. Petersburg, Fla., to pen a plea to "please do something for us visiting Canadians."

Said the doctor: "I want to get peanuts. Don't object too much to a little salt, nor a few worms. 'I have spent 10 winters here and I always bring down a winter's supply from Canada. It is ground-up nuts and salt. Not a fancy mess of nuts and chemicals that tastes like anything but peanuts. 'They ship nuts to Canada, pay duty on them and then sell them for half what I have to pay here. Then I have to bring them back to Dixie (where most American peanuts are grown). 'Once I gave a Buffalo, N.Y., boy some Canadian peanut but-

ter, and he exclaimed: 'It tastes like peanuts.'"

Commented Dr. Baird tersely: "Surprised."

He added: "He had been raised on the highly-flavored kind. I would like to be able to buy plain honest peanut butter here without a list of ingredients that sounds like a wholesale drug firm's catalogue."

"I instruct my patients here not to buy that kind."

One possibility in the pros and cons of peanut butter is a public hearing.



Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Elworthy relax in the Surf Room of the Royal Hawaiian Hotel at Waikiki Beach, where they are staying while vacationing in Hawaii. Following a stop-over in Honolulu, the Elworthys will leave on a trip to the Orient, before returning, via Honolulu, to their home on Tarn Place. (Photo by Sheraton)

## Mothers Receive Verbal Bouquets—'Kind, Thoughtful and a Bit Cross'

OTTAWA (CP) — Sixth-grade girls think a lot of their mothers.

They expressed their love and admiration in an essay contest organized by Noreen Gallagher, a teacher at Notre Dame school in South Hull, Que., across the Ottawa River from this city.

Miss Gallagher asked her Grade 6 pupils to write why they thought their mothers should be chosen Canadian Mother of the Year. She sent the 13 best essays to the national competition sponsored annually by the Florists' Telegraph Delivery Association.

A sampling of the letters shows that the work of the housewife and mother does not always go unappreciated.

Bonnie Haley of Hull, Que., a 12-year-old, expressed herself in verse. The sentiments conveyed in the poem make up for its technical imperfections.

Bonnie wrote:

"My mother's eyes are blue velvet,  
"In the midst of her rosy face,  
"Her lips of rosy red,  
"Her hair of brunette lace.  
"And when everything starts to go wrong,  
"The cakes begin to burn,  
"And the day seems so long,  
"To be calm, that's what we learn."

### KEEPS SMILING

One 10-year-old girl wrote: "My mother's eyes are hazel and twinkle as she bustles about the house. On Friday night she turns Brown Owl for 32 little Brownies. When she arrives home she is exhausted, but she is never too tired to smile."

Nominated by her daughter "because she's fun," another mother drew this praise: "She's kind, thoughtful and a little bit cross. But with seven children and a man it's not

easy. She considers it a game. She makes six lunches at night and is still willing to help us with our knitting."

Hundreds of letters in similar vein are reaching the contest's national headquarters, whose address is Box 4044, Ottawa. The competition is open until March 31.

Anyone may be nominated but the Mother of the Year is usually a person who has been active in community welfare work, as well as caring for her own family.

Last year's winner was Mildred Gottfriedsen, an Indian of the Kamloops, B.C., reserve who raised 24 foster children as well as 12 of her own.

Like Mrs. Gottfriedsen, this year's mother, who will be chosen in mid-April, will be flown to Ottawa in May for three days of festivities in her honor. She will be presented to Mrs. Lester B. Pearson at the prime minister's residence and taken on a tour of the capital.

The winner is chosen by a panel of three judges: Mrs. T. C. Douglas, wife of the New Democratic Party leader; Mrs. Margaret Konantz, the Liberal member of Parliament for Winnipeg South; and Mrs. John Bird, who is CBC commentator Anne Francis.

## Princess Marina Visits Windsor

LONDON (AP) — Princess Marina, sister-in-law of the Duke of Windsor, spent more than an hour with the duke and his duchess in their suite at Claridge's Hotel Sunday. The princess was the third member of the Royal Family to visit the couple within a week. Her husband, the Duke of Kent and a brother of the Duke of Windsor, was killed during the Second World War in a plane crash. The Windsors are staying at the hotel while the duke convalesces from eye surgery.

## Irish Theme Marks UCW Tea

Arrangements of daffodils in paddy green vases centred guests' tables at the recent tea given by the Mispah unit of the Ganges-United Church Women in the church hall. Other decorations were in an Irish theme.

A sum of \$133 was realized from the affair.

President of Noralite Unit, Mrs. M. M. Sober, opened the tea and Mrs. J. W. Catto was general convener. Servitors were Mrs. Gordon Scarff, Mrs. H. L. Timbers, Mrs. Jack Fendall and Miss Olive Mount.

Other conveners were Mrs. Scot Clarke and Mrs. Irl Bradley, home baking; Mrs. Edward Parson, Mrs. C. W. Leggett and Miss Josie Overend, needlework and novelties; Mrs. L. Holloway, cut flowers; and Mrs. Henry Ashley, door.

## CUMMINGS-SUTHERLAND VOWS

## Lace Appliques on Wedding Gown Worn at Candle-Lit Ceremony

Pink gladioli and white carnations decorated Metropolitan United Church, Saturday evening, when Rev. Albert E. King officiated at the candle-lit, double-ring ceremony that united Anne Louise Sutherland and Malcolm Ridley Cummings in marriage.

Parents of the principals are Mr. and Mrs. Earl James Sutherland, 320 Kamloops Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie J. Hall of Vancouver.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full-length gown of silk organza, styled with a semi-full skirt and full-length train. Lace appliques highlighted the skirt and train and similar accents were on the bodice, which featured a scoop neckline and sleeves ending in ruffled cuffs. Her four-tier, scalloped-edged tulle veil misted to chapel-length from a coronet of pearls and drop crystals. Only jewelry was a single strand of culture pearls, gift of the groom. She carried a cascade bouquet of pink sweetheart roses and white stephanotis.

Maid of honor, Miss Pamela

Burdge, bridesmaid, Miss Anita Poulsen and junior bridesmaid, Miss Jean Musgrave, were gowned alike in pink peau de sole, styled on princess lines with A-line skirts. They chose wedding ring headpieces, trimmed with scalloped-edged tulle. Jewelry was culture pearl pendants, gift of the bride, and they carried colonial bouquets of white carnations.

Robert Ian Cummings, Vancouver, was best man for his twin brother. Guests were ushered to their pews by Patrick Fry, Vancouver, and Guy King. A three-tier wedding cake made by the bride's mother and decorated by Mr. C. N. Smet-hurst, centred the bride's table at the reception which followed in Holyrood House. Miniature cupid and silver horseshoes decorated the cake which was topped by a small vase of pink rosebuds. Gold-toned candelabra, pink candles, and pink and white daisies completed table decorations.

John Clark, Vancouver, proposed the toast to the bride.

For travelling on a honeymoon trip to Portland, Ore., and Sno-

qualmie ski resort, the bride donned a blue and white two-piece knit dress, topped with a three-quarter-length silver beige simota fur coat. A white organza and tulle pill box hat, bone accessories and white gardenias en corsage completed her ensemble.

The newlyweds will make their home in Victoria.



### Milk Break

"Hey Mom, I'm home" is the signal for milk and cookies around many a Canadian home. Don't let spring fever upset this nutritionally excellent routine... serve a quick flavored milk drink instead. It's the best spring tonic to come out of the test kitchen in a long time.

### Butterscotch Toddy

If there's still a nip in the air, here's a hot Butterscotch Toddy. Simply add 2 teaspoons of butterscotch chips (the kind you use for baking cookies) to each 1/2 cup hot milk. Beat until melted and serve immediately.

### On the Cool Side

Cool and refreshing... that's what the young moderns say about this next drink! Beat or shake together a cup of cold milk, 1/2 cup pineapple juice and a scoop or two of vanilla ice cream. The more ice cream, the creamier the "shake", the better the drink, our young friends tell us.

### Junior Editions

Although there's no age limit on peanut butter fans, you'll find the junior members of the family, and their friends, loyal boosters of these Peanut Shakes. Serve six in a jiffy, by beating together 1/2 cup each of liquid honey and cream-style peanut butter and a quart of milk.

### Penny-Wise

Once for ounce milk is one of our best food buys and one of the quickest and easiest ways to help the family to good nutrition. So Mom, make sure there's plenty on hand in the frig for the youngsters and the whole family to help themselves to one of these refreshing drinks.

### Blender Tricks

While we're on the subject of helping yourself... if you're lucky enough to own an electric blender, chances are you'll find everyone wanting to mix their own. Our favorites start with either a well-drained canned peach or a ripe banana. After the fruit is pureed, add 1 1/2 cups cold milk and 2 scoops of vanilla ice cream. Pour into 3 tall glasses and sprinkle with nutmeg.

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## ROYAL BABY IN SWEDEN

GOTEBORG (Reuters) — Sweden's Princess Desree, 26, gave birth to a son at a hospital here Monday night. The baby, her first, weighed almost 7 1/2 pounds. Desree married wealthy Swedish Baron Nicolas Silverschloeld last June.

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## NEW JOBS CREATED

## Hunt on for Skilled Thousands

By BOB DONAHUE

Times Education Reporter

Today in Canada a manhunt is sweeping the country for technically trained people, J. S. White, director of technical and vocational education in B.C., said Monday night.

"It is not just for one man, but for thousands," he told a meeting of the University of Victoria Alumni Association.

"People are wanted for the new jobs being endlessly created by the triple eruption of knowledge, technology and wealth."

"By 1970 one-fourth of the nation's labor force will be employed in semi-professional jobs that didn't even exist in the 1930s," he said.

"The race away from the manual unskilled occupations is stranding thousands of our

young people wishing to enter the world of work."

## THREE FORMS

Mr. White said the objective of achieving a properly trained work force in B.C. has taken three forms.

"New technical schools will provide technicians; regional vocational schools will provide specialized training for adults and the revision of the second-

ary school program will provide a more varied program of technical and vocational as well as academic education."

Mr. White was moderator of a panel on vocational education. Other panel members were W. S. Adams, vice-principal of the B.C. Institute of Technology; Col. J. W. Inglis, principal of the B.C. Vocational School at Burnaby and Joseph Jupp, coordinator of technical and vocational programs at the secondary school level.

Mr. Adams told the group very few people are getting education to follow a true vocation. "Instead most of society is getting an education in order to get a job—a meal ticket."

He said the need for more technically trained persons is urgent.

## JOB OPENINGS

We have thousands of job openings and thousands of men looking for jobs, but the job openings are for trained people and those who are looking for jobs are usually untrained.

"It is a dismal subject of continuing importance."

Col. Inglis said there should be 50,000 new apprentices entering the work force every year to keep up with present demands.

"We should have at least 200,000 at the present time instead we only have about 20,000."

He said regional schools for post-high school level students are set up to meet the demands of the area in which they are located. The studies range from courses for janitors to court reporters.

## TRAIN PEOPLE

Mr. Jupp told the group that secondary schools must accept the challenge to educate and train people until they are at least 18 and then produce something worthwhile.

"We have to produce someone with a saleable skill and the revised program for secondary schools in this province is helping to do this," he said.

Feeder Lot  
Ruin Blamed  
On Supervisor

EDMONTON (CP)—A judicial report tabled in the legislature Monday blamed S. W. Hatch for the financial ruin of the Lethbridge Central Feeders Association which sustained a loss of \$844,000 in 1962.

District court Judge L. S. Turcotte of Lethbridge said in his report the "only person responsible for the losses of the association is Hatch," former CFA supervisor who now lives in Riverside, Calif.

The judge said the inquiry, conducted last December and January, may establish evidence of theft under two sections of the Criminal Code and a charge of falsification of books and documents.

John Hart, deputy attorney-general, said his department's agent in Lethbridge, D. V. Hargitan, has been instructed to prepare "appropriate criminal charges."

The judicial report gave a detailed explanation of certain ledger accounts, including one involving E. W. Hinman, former Alberta treasurer.

The CFA was formed in 1942 as Chinook Feeders Association to assist southern Alberta stockmen in financing and feeding cattle. It became Lethbridge Central Feeders Association in 1950 and the 160-member group did a \$5,000,000 gross business annually under the stewardship of Hatch.

## SET-BORROWING LIMIT

Members joining the association each paid \$500 into a fund and the CFA then set a limit on the amount each member could borrow for buying and feeding cattle.

Hatch, 42, became supervisor and secretary-treasurer in 1952. His salary in 1962 was \$7,399 and expenses \$6,955.

Judge Turcotte said Hatch had withheld information from the CFA board of directors, falsified monthly returns to the bank for three years and made false entries in the association's books to conceal secret profits from feeding transactions.

He said association directors "probably suffered from delusions of grandeur" from the volume of business. However, the



ITALIAN ACCENT—Italian actress Maria Grazia Buccella, 22, who is making a film in Rome, poses in a bathing suit with a plunging neckline and a mesh front while chatting with actor Vittorio Gassman.

## VANCOUVER CEREMONY

Scout Leader  
To Get Award

A Victoria Rover Scout leader, A. E. (Bert) Yates, 3407 Doncaster Drive, Saturday will be awarded the Scouts of Canada's certificate of merit for services to scouting in the Victoria region.

The presentation will be made in Vancouver by Lieutenant-Governor G. R. Pearkes at the annual dinner and meeting of the provincial council for B.C. and the Yukon Boy Scouts of Canada.

Mr. Yates is one of 22 Scout leaders and members of the movement in British Columbia who have distinguished themselves through acts of gallantry, meritorious conduct or good services to scouting during the year.

More than 39,000 B.C. Wolf Cubs, Boy Scouts and Rovers will be represented at the Hotel Vancouver gathering by adult administrative and uniformed representatives.

Officially representing the Victoria region will be A. G. Coning and A. M. Davies, president of the scouting council.

Prior to the annual meeting, more than 100 scouting officials will take part in a training conference chaired by Robert MacMurray, a member of the international training team.

Provincial president R. G. Miller will head the annual meeting. Included in committees' reports will be plans for two major projects in B.C.'s centennial year.

The speaker at the dinner will be the deputy chief scout for Canada, L. H. Nicholson, from national headquarters in Ottawa.

Crystal Garden  
Survey Urged

Cost and extent of rehabilitation at run-down Crystal Garden should be spelled out in an engineering survey, Ald. A. W. Toone said Monday.

The \$100,000 city-owned recreation facility was inspected this morning by city council's recreation and community services committee—the first formal tour since Canadian Pacific Railway relinquished its lease Jan. 1.

"This is a worthwhile facility," committee chairman Toone said. "The problem now is to decide how to cope with rehabilitation."

Evidence of poor maintenance was seen almost everywhere the committee looked.

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HINMAN  
... inquiry witness

Judge said the board of directors, the bank manager and the association auditor were "honorable, estimable men."

Judge Turcotte found that all transactions between the association and Hin Hat Som Ranch Limited of Cranbrook, B.C., were "contrary to law." Owners of the ranch were Hatch, Mr. Hinman and F. R. Sommerfeldt. The ranch owes the association \$43,944 and Mr. Hinman's debt balance is \$33,256.

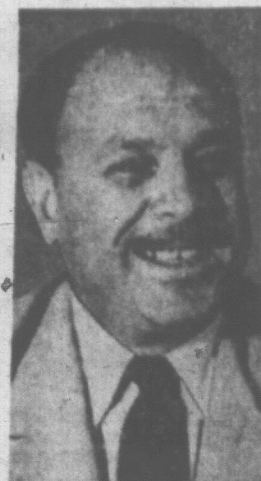
The judge found there was no contract with Hin Hat Som and that no application for membership had been made. The report said Hatch paid \$4,000 to settle an interest in the ranch and "advanced many more thousands of dollars to Hin Hat Som Ranch."

"Hinman and Sommerfeldt thought that Hatch was using his own money or at least money he had a lawful right to use," the report said.

Mr. Hinman, the Social Credit member of the legislature for Cardston, resigned as provincial treasurer last July at the request of Premier Manning. Mr. Hinman told the inquiry he was not aware that his dismissal from the cabinet had anything to do with his ranch holdings or membership in the CFA.

Mr. Manning had said he asked for Mr. Hinman's resignation because his private association with the promotion and operation of non-government enterprises was incompatible with the minister's responsibility to his public office.

The report also said Hatch led farmer Horace A. Jones of Picture Butte, Alta., "down the garden path to financial ruin" by mixing and transferring accounts. Mr. Jones had a debit of \$106,701 on March 31, 1963.



INAUGURATED for another five-year term today was President Ayub Khan of Pakistan. Oath of office was administered at the country's new capital under construction 10 miles west of Rawalpindi.

## Dies of Injuries

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—Miss Juba Fraser, 35, died in Royal Columbian Hospital here Monday after suffering head, chest and internal injuries when her car was in collision with a large truck on a fog-shrouded highway in near-by Surrey.

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To Tour B.C.

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Playhouse Theatre Company has announced plans to take its highly successful production of the musical "Stop the World, I Want to Get Off" on a provincial tour.

The production, which stars D. M. Hughes and Barbara Jay, will be in Victoria April 1-3, Kamloops April 5 and Kelowna April 6.

In 19 performances here, the musical had an attendance record of 86 per cent.

## Esquimalt Fete Scheduled

Twenty-four community organizations in Esquimalt plan to join hands with the municipality and the navy in special celebrations in June.

They will centre on the 100th anniversary of the formal establishment of a naval dockyard in Esquimalt, June 29, 1865.

June 26 has been suggested to representatives of the various groups at Esquimalt Recreation Commission, as a day of celebration to be known as "Esquimalt Day."

Esquimalt councillor James Bryant proposed the date at a meeting of the Esquimalt Recreation Commission, Monday night.

Councillor Bryant said the navy and municipality will support the project.

In asking for the help of the community, Coun. Bryant said,

"money alone does not put on a parade or games, the help of everyone involved in the community is necessary."

"We could have one big day at Bullen Park," he said.

Among the suggestions for events to take place on that day were: games, a small parade in the morning, picnic facilities with stands, merry-go-rounds, gymnastic displays, a baby show, horseshoe pitching, a fish-

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1 Westinghouse Electric Range, 30"	\$299.95	\$236.00
1 Westinghouse Electric Range, 24"	\$259.95	\$198.00
1 Beach Drop-in with Rotisserie, 30"	\$279.95	\$222.00
1 Tappan Built-in Surface Unit	\$137.95	\$109.95
1 Tappan Built-in Electric Oven	\$200.95	\$138.00

## REFRIGERATORS

	Reg.	SALE
1 Marquette Combination Freezer Refrigerator, 16 cu. ft.	\$499.95	\$388.00
1 Westinghouse 2-Zone Refrigerator, 2-door, 12 cu. ft.	\$359.95	\$275.00
1 Westinghouse Refrigerator, 12 cu. ft.	\$279.95	\$210.00
1 Westinghouse Frost-free 12 cu. ft. 2-door Refrigerator	\$419.95	\$300.00
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1 McClary 20 cu. ft. Deep Freeze	\$399.95	\$238.00

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2 Westinghouse TV, 23" Instant-on, 1965, each	\$359.95	\$258.00
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1 Westinghouse Portable TV, 11", 1965	\$149.95	\$128.00

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1 Belwood Wringer Washer with pump and timer	\$229.95	\$138.00
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1 Westinghouse Automatic Dryer	\$199.95	\$148.00

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1 Coleman Oil Space Heater	\$89.95	\$67.00
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1 Enterprise Oil Range	\$279.50	\$212.00
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1 Nautilus Ductless Hood and Fan, 36" white	\$129.95	\$88.00
1 Hoover Vacuum Upright Cleaner	\$60.00	\$49.00
1 Westinghouse Hair Dryer	\$32.95	\$20.50
2 Westinghouse Coffee Percolators, each	\$22.95	\$17.72
1 Sunbeam Carousel Broiler	\$39.95	\$32.35
1 Westinghouse Mantel Radio	\$29.95	\$23.50
1 Westinghouse Automatic Clock Radio	\$39.95	\$31.12
2 Westinghouse Electric Carving Knives, each	\$29.95	\$23.50
1 Coleman Vit Rock Hot Water Tank	\$134.95	\$117.00
3 Enterprise Glass-Lined Electric Hot Water Tanks, each	\$119.95	\$98.00

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1 Wingham Oil Range	\$79.00	\$58.00
1 Tappan Annex Heater (coal and wood)	\$79.00	\$55.00
1 Fawcett Oil-Fired Space Heater	\$125.00	\$100.00
1 Teco Oil-Fired Space Heater	\$89.00	\$55.00
1 Frigidaire Automatic Washer	\$169.00	\$125.00
1 Ingils Wringer Washer	\$49.00	\$35.00
1 Frigidaire 40" Electric Range	\$79.95	\$60.00
1 RCA 24" Electric Range, automatic, with oven window	\$129.00	\$69.00

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## End Race Bars In Land Deals, Dowding Urges

Gordon Dowding (NDP-Burnaby) wants the Land Registry Act to contain a clause forbidding racial discrimination.

He told the legislature Monday the present act permitted to register covenants with the land registry office containing clauses forbidding the land to be sold in future to descendants of certain races.

Mr. Dowding made the statements during debate on amendments to the Land Registry Act.

"The introduction of such a clause while the bill is open for other amendments would mean that this province goes on record as being against racial discrimination of any kind," Mr. Dowding said.

Attorney-General Robert Bonner said that to pass such an amendment would mean that in future all documents submitted for registration would have to be carefully scrutinized.

### RACIAL CLAUSES

He added that at present, even if such racially discriminatory clauses were placed on covenants and deeds, they were not enforceable by law.

"Racial covenants are not enforceable," Mr. Bonner said. "To introduce a clause such as the one recommended would mean that land registry officials would have to vet all documents. At present, regardless of their presence, racial discriminatory clauses are not enforceable."

### ENTER DEEDS

Mr. Dowding said the fact they were not enforceable did not prevent them from being written into covenants and deeds.

"The continued use of the racial discrimination clause is a fraud," he said. "Anyone who knows the law knows that, but many members of the general public do not know it. Why should we lend any credence to it? We should not allow it; we should scotch it right here."

The amendments passed without further discussion but did not include Mr. Dowding's recommendation.



**WOUNDED** by bullet of assassin's gun Monday was Gen. Rene Barrientos, 44, president of Bolivia's military government. He was struck in thigh and not seriously hurt.

## B.C. Bank Bid Backdown Blasted as Bonner Boner

Full scale retreat or brief retirement before the full offensive?

Take your choice so far as the Bank of British Columbia is concerned.

Opposition members say Premier Bennett is in retreat having dropped his promised 25 per cent participation to 10 per cent and possibly lower.

The premier suggests he has not yet been joined with Ottawa.

Alex Macdonald (NDP-Vancouver East) started the whole thing off Monday night when he said during debate on the Revenue Act that while he agreed with the premier on the

need for a B.C. bank he was disappointed in the change in attitude since the last session of the legislature.

He said he wasn't quite sure what the premier was doing with the House these days. I'm not sure whether he's playing poker or blind man's bluff. But I do know that it's a wide open game and we are asked to trust Big Daddy."

### BANK PROPOSAL

Mr. Macdonald noted that during the last session the legislature had approved the bank proposal and agreed that B.C. should have 25 per cent participation.

"But you have retreated," he said to the premier. "You have gone from 25 per cent to 10 per cent which means that we shall not really have our own bank. You went from 25 per cent to 10 per cent then a little while

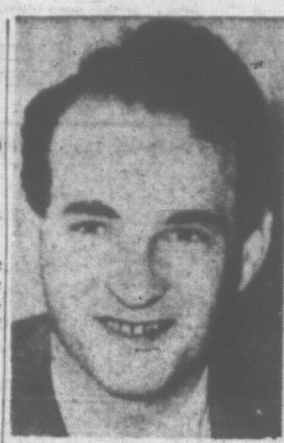
later told the senate 'no subscriptions'."

Mr. Macdonald added that the premier was now asking the legislature for authority to invest 10 per cent in a bank that may not have its headquarters in B.C.

He also stated that in his mind a strategic error had been made by the provincial government in taking the matter of the bank to the Senate rather than the Commons.

"It was a mistake to take it to the Senate first," he said. "A boner—I might almost say a Bonner boner—for had it gone to the Commons first, and had the Commons passed it, the senate would have thought several times before voting against it."

Liberal Leader Ray Perrault said Premier Bennett was to blame for Senate opposition to the B.C. bank application because of his insistence that the government participate in it.



**SELF-STYLED** foe of injustice, David Cowlishaw Monday was sentenced in Vancouver to 45 days in jail for theft of his mother-in-law's cutlery set. Cowlishaw, 33, pleaded guilty, admitting a previous conviction in Ottawa for public mischief. His throwing cow's blood on to the floor of the House of Commons rocketed him into national prominence as a champion of persons treated unjustly through his organization, Underdog. The Vancouver court was told he had pawned the cutlery set, valued at \$1,000, for \$147.50.

## 'Import Experts To Universities'

By JIM HUME

The proposed University Real Estate Development Corporation should concentrate on bringing top experts in industrial research to university areas.

Pat McGeer (Lib.-Vancouver-Point Grey) told the legislature Monday night that great responsibility rested in the hands of the officers of the corporation.

"We must not let this opportunity pass by," he said. "Boston has its electronic row, at Stanford and Dallas similar projects have been built in conjunction with the universities. We can establish proper industries in conjunction with our universities like research centres for drugs, chemicals and forestry. But it would be a mistake, it would be futile if we permitted shoe factories or factories for automobile parts."

Mr. McGeer went on to say that the development corporation could be a tremendous

value to the educational growth of the province if "it can bring to B.C. the men who will be in the forefront of progress."

He added that "money making should be of secondary consideration."

"What we want is something that will be of real value," he said. "The interchange of research, the practice of research. If we let this opportunity slip it would be a tragic mistake."

Debate on the bill introduced by Premier Bennett was adjourned by NDP Leader Robert Strachan.

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## Safety Helmets 'In' Starting on July 1

Safety helmets will be compulsory for motorcyclists throughout the province July 1 despite reservations expressed Monday by some MLAs.

The legislature gave third reading to a series of amendments to the Motor Vehicle Act which included the safety helmet provision.

John Tisdalle (SC—Saanich) said making all motorcyclists wear the same headgear would foster a "motorcyclists' dress cult" which would embarrass some bike owners.

He said it would tend to identify all motorcyclists as a "leather jacket and helmet set."

Both Mr. Tisdalle and Leo Nimsick (NDP—Cranbrook) also said requiring helmets would create a problem of where to store them because the saddle bags of most motorbikes were not large enough to hold them.

### USE DISCRETION

Bert Price (SC—Vancouver-Burrard) said he hoped police would use discretion in ticketing youngsters for failing to wear helmets. He said rather than fines "making them get off their bikes and walk home to get their

helmets would be a quicker cure."

Mr. Price said he was in favor of the helmets because of the numerous head injuries suffered by motorcyclists. He said in a single day there were three skull fracture cases admitted to one Vancouver hospital.

Attorney-General Robert Bonner said the motor vehicles branch's approval for various makes of safety helmets would be required under the legislation and this would protect the buyers from inferior products.

### GINA SPEAKS

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# Andy Stephen Looks at TV

It's becoming increasingly evident that the star system in television doesn't work any more.

For instance, just last September ABC-TV was proudly proclaiming it was "the network of the stars." Program series featuring such big names as George Burns, Bing Crosby and Walter Brennan were to be launched on what network bosses hoped would be ratings winners.

The current season is not over and already we know the trio will not be back with their series programs next fall. Viewers turned to other programs for their entertainment variety.

The same holds true for David Niven, Charles Boyer and Gig Young, who tried so valiantly with "The Rogues." The fans said "uh-huh." Rudy Vallee and "On Broadway Tonight" tried again this season but failed.

Try Jack Benny on for size. He's been on the air for so many years I hate to remember, but he won't be back next year.

Viewers favored Jim Nabors, the Gomer Pyle of television, to an old-established laugh-maker like Benny and his crew.

Nabors? Yes, he's about the biggest attraction on television today. The test-popularity poll had him in the number two show slot.

A prime example of a big box office draw at movie houses is Jerry Lewis. He's about the most successful movie star in the business today as everyone of his films makes him richer. But he was a bust on television.

vision in both his NBC-TV specials and an ABC-TV variety show.

There was a time when big names in movies and even radio—Jack Benny is an example here—were thought to be capable of drawing the viewer.

But it is a fact now that a big star will help sell the show to a sponsor but won't help a bit in keeping the show on the air.

William T. Orr of Warner Bros. has been quoted as saying: "Television makes its own stars. Just put a capable guy in a good show and in six weeks his face will be known all over. They might not know his name, but they'll know who he is."

So there is no guarantee of success in television. It all depends on the mood of the viewer and no matter what is done about two-thirds of all new shows will fail each season.

Doom was written for several shows on CBS-TV for next season but since the departure of James Aubrey as president there have been some changes made.

"Slattery's People," which deals with a state legislator, will return next season. It had been considered through at the end of this season.

"Rawhide" will return too, though it had been marked for cancellation.

It wasn't so long ago when CBS-TV also had removed the Danny Kaye Show from next season's lineup. But now it will be back, and in color too.

Ed Sullivan is reported more than put out by this latter development. He's been trying for two years to get CBS-TV to tint his show, but Danny Kaye's got the nod. This could be the beginning of the end.

## Highlights and Listings

### Children's Corner

4:00: Peter Potamus, 7: Planet Pals, 8: Mickey Mouse, 12.  
4:30: Razzle Dazzle, 2, 6; Brakeman Bill, 11; Fun-O-Rama, 12.  
5:00: Fireball XL-5, 2; Captain Puget, 4; Stan Bores-Boreson, 8; Yogi Bear, 12.

### Sport

11:20: Channel 2: Sports Finals.  
12:15: Channels 4, 8: Canada Sports Roundup.

### Headliners

7:30: Channel 12: International Showtime. The Great German Ice Spectacle. This program features skaters from Argentina, Australia, England, Holland and Italy.  
8:30: Channels 2, 6: Jack Benny. Jack, shocked to learn that Dennis Day has never been inside a bank, decides to bring him to his bank to open an account.  
8:30: Channels 7, 12: Red Skelton. Red's guests are actor George C. Scott and the Honey Combs, a British singing group. In a sketch, Freddie the Freeloader volunteers for a scientific expedition to the South Pole.

### Tonight's Movies

5:30: Channel 12: The Affairs of Doble Gillis (1953). Doble Gillis is wild about Pansy Hammer. Bobby Van, Debbie Reynolds.  
10:00: Channel 11: Relentless (1948). A western in which a cowboy is accused of murdering a pair of prospectors. Robert Young.  
11:00: Channel 12: Those Redheads from Seattle (1953). A woman and her four daughters pack their belongings and head for Alaska. Rhonda Fleming, Gene Barry.  
11:30: Channel 7: Sailor of the King (1953). During the Second World War, two ships are dispatched to sink a German raider. In the action one of the British vessels is sunk. Jeffrey Hunter, Michael Rennie.  
11:35: Channel 2: The Wayward Wife (1954). The reason why a beautiful new bride tried to kill her best friend is revealed through flashbacks. Gina Lollobrigida.

### Tonight's Programs

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Vancover	Seattle	Seattle	Victoria	Vancover	Seattle	Tacoma	Bellingham
Channel 2	Channel 4	Channel 5	Channel 6	Channel 3	Channel 7	Channel 11	Channel 13
Karen Home Edition 7 o'clock Show Reach for Top	News Early Edition Deaver Combat	Buntley-Brinkley Early Edition Little Bob Mr. Novak	Movie, News My Three Sons Jonny Quest Wendell	Movie, News Music Hall Little Bob Sing Out	Walter Cronkite Riflemen Rawhide Beverly Hills	Highway Patrol Sea Hunt True Adventure Vagabond	Walter Cronkite Movie Int'l Showtime Int'l Showtime Red Skelton
Jack Benny Danny Kaye Front Page New Mag Eve Ogden	Combat McHale's Navy The Tycoon Front Page Fugitive Highway	Mr. Novak Hulabaloo TW 3 Inter-American Eye Opener	Danny Kaye Front Page News En France	Movie Petit Jean Burke's Law No Time Says	Movie Petit Jean Burke's Law No Time Says	Movie Petit Jean Burke's Law No Time Says	Movie Petit Jean Burke's Law No Time Says
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### Early Wednesday Programs

CHUT	KOMO-TV	KING-TV	CHEK-TV	CHIN-TV	KIRO-TV	KTNT-TV	KVOS-TV
Vancover	Seattle	Seattle	Victoria	Vancover	Seattle	Tacoma	Bellingham
Channel 2	Channel 4	Channel 5	Channel 6	Channel 3	Channel 7	Channel 11	Channel 13
Jack Lalanne Movie Western Giant, Helen Bridget	Danny Thomas What's This Song Concentration Jeopardy	Movie Concentration Jeopardy	Movie Concentration Jeopardy	Movie Concentration Jeopardy	Movie Concentration Jeopardy	Movie Concentration Jeopardy	Movie Concentration Jeopardy
Movie The Flying Missile Bomb Journey	Movie The Flying Missile Bomb Journey	Movie The Flying Missile Bomb Journey	Movie The Flying Missile Bomb Journey	Movie The Flying Missile Bomb Journey	Movie The Flying Missile Bomb Journey	Movie The Flying Missile Bomb Journey	Movie The Flying Missile Bomb Journey
Movie World Turns Razzle Dazzle	Movie World Turns Razzle Dazzle	Movie World Turns Razzle Dazzle	Movie World Turns Razzle Dazzle	Movie World Turns Razzle Dazzle	Movie World Turns Razzle Dazzle	Movie World Turns Razzle Dazzle	Movie World Turns Razzle Dazzle
Movie Forest Rangers Music Hop	Movie Forest Rangers Music Hop	Movie Forest Rangers Music Hop	Movie Forest Rangers Music Hop	Movie Forest Rangers Music Hop	Movie Forest Rangers Music Hop	Movie Forest Rangers Music Hop	Movie Forest Rangers Music Hop

## MAIN ITEMS ON RADIO STATIONS

AM Stations: CJVI-900; CFAX-1070; CKDA-1220; Victoria. CJOR-600; CBU-640; CFWY-1120; CROX-1240; KIRO-1410; Vancouver. KIRO-710; KOMO-1060; KING-1080.

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Most stations broadcast news bulletins on the hour and on the half-hour at early morning and evening peak periods.

Major newscasts: CBU: 9 a.m., BCC news; 7 p.m., national news. CFAX, CKDA and CJVI: 8 a.m.; 12:30 p.m., 6 p.m., 10 p.m. KIRO: 6 p.m. KOMO: 6 p.m., 10 p.m.

## TIMES GOOD MUSIC HOUR

Triana (orchestra); Song of Norway Highlights (Victoria Elliott); Light Cavalry Overture, Saint Saens-Bacchanale (orchestra); Loch Lomond (chorus); Laura (Liberace); Last Spring (orchestra); Spellbound (Liberace); Song of Norway Highlights (Victoria Elliott).

TONIGHT'S FM FEATURES

6:00: KLSN: Scores and Encores presents music by Friml and Hooker; Vagabond King.

6:15: CFMS: Stereo Serenade features music for the dining hour with orchestra and soloists performing to popular and semi-classical sounds.

7:00: KLSN: Pop Concert Miniature features music by Ravel; Mother Goose Suite and Daphnis and Chloe.

7:35: CBU: Concert-features selected classical records.

8:00: KLSN: Evening Concert features music by Rossini, Copland, Paganini and Schubert.

10:30: KLSN: World of Folk Music. Big Bill Broonzy.

TONIGHT'S HIGHLIGHTS

6:10: CFAX: Earl Nightingale speaks of the World to Come.

6:30: CBU: Critics at Large. A review of the arts in Vancouver.

8:00: CBU: Assignment, Bob Ross tours a perfume factory in Grasse, France.

9:30: CBU: Choir in Concert features the Winnipeg Choralists.

1:15: CBU: The Writer and His Background. The Gumroon, written and narrated by Thomas Hinde.

10:30: CBU: The Music Scene.

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# VOICE OF BROADWAY

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN



Warren Beatty is supposed to be engaged to Leslie Caron, but he's the elusive type, and while Leslie is waiting for her divorce, Warren's dating Rosemary Van Zan in London. Rosemary is a model . . . Vince Edwards keeps saying that he's not going to marry actress Kathy Kersh—bad taste, because the lady involved is supposed to make any announcements concerning a betrothal, one way or another—yet, strangely enough, he's asked his agent to sign her. It's not exactly a diamond ring, but it's a magnificent gesture.

Elizabeth Allen is enchanting in the new musical, "Do I Hear a Waltz?" which is more than can be said of the lyrics; at times they are inexplicably hayseed. The most dramatic moment of the premiere came when Richard Rodgers embraced his wife and kissed her tenderly. There has been a romance that has lasted longer than any Broadway show.

A much-publicized singer has a problem that most of his fans don't know about—gambling debts well into the six figures. Allan Sherman's privately-pressed satire of "My Fair Lady" is the new disc to play at parties. "With a Little Bit of Luck" becomes "With a Little Bit of Loss," and you take it from there. Alan Jay Lerner, who created some of the most brilliant lyrics of all time, must be frightfully pleased . . . There will be charity premieres of "The Sandpiper" in London and Paris, both associated with Elizabeth Taylor. The giant Hollywood opening—which the Burtons will attend in July—will benefit the Hemophilia Society, Richard Burton's favorite charity.

Have an encouraging quote from Maurice Girodias, head of the Olympia Press, which published "Candy" and "Lolita": "I'm all for the corruption of youth. Corruption is an essential part of education. What I'm against is the square world." . . . What's happened in the world of science during the past year? Well, for example, the choreography for the show "at DuPont's World of Chemistry at the World's Fair" had to be completely revamped to include the Frig and the Monkey.

The romance between Jim Mitchum (Bob's son) and

Nancy Stone appears to be over. She wanted to get married. He preferred to think about it . . . A pair of British newlyweds, both actor-types, have begun to battle in public. Their friends fear the marriage is in serious trouble . . . Jack Carter has been going through his nightclub act at the Hotel Roosevelt's Blue Room in New Orleans with a temperature of 102, keeping his illness from his audiences—even fooling the SRO customers who were visiting doctors attending a convention in that colorful city.

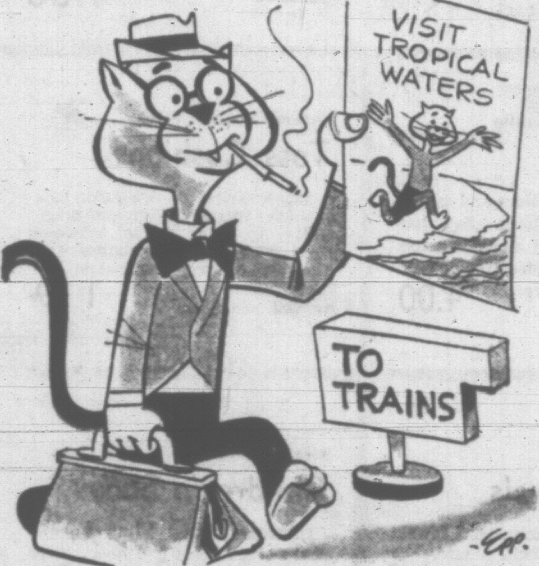
Those who've seen Jean Simmons since she's bleached her hair blonde for her role in the movie, "Mister Buddwing" (her first in three years), say she looks absolutely stunning. But despite the compliments, Jean is determined to become a brunette again as soon as the cameras stop turning . . . Bette Davis and Olivia De Havilland starred in quite a backstage blowup during their tour of New York theatres in behalf of "Hush . . . Hush, Sweet Charlotte." It had something to do with singing the title song from the various stages. P.S.: Neither sang.

After seeing rushes of Tanya Loperi, Vittorio De Sica was so impressed he made haste to sign her for his next film. . . . The latest glamour girl protégée of Charles Feldman, who discovered her in Paris, where he found Capucine. Those hip to scene society can write the rest of the scenario with those few facts as a basis . . . One of the Broadway novelty stalls must know something. They've just put in a whopping re-order of an item that was hastily removed from the shelves last year—Khrushchev masks. They disposed of Nikita's images—their bestselling item—when K blew his job at the Kremlin.

American International refuses to bill the Beatles over any of the other acts in "Go-Go-Mania." The executives feel that many of the acts in the movie deserve billing of equal stature. Want to know who the others are? Okay, Herman's Hermits, Tommy Quickly and the Reno Four, Billy J. Kanner and the Dakotas and—no, I simply can't go on.

## PET POINTS

By Dr. J. R. Emas



### Do Cats Really Hate Water?

No. This is pretty much of a fallacy. Many cats have no particular fondness for the bath, but others do love a good swim or a bath now and then.

CLINIC: Q. We have a 3-year-old mongrel dog, and she is constantly shedding hair, even through the cold weather. Her coat has become very thin and there is almost no hair on her belly. How can we remedy this? It hasn't happened in previous years.

Miss G.G., Patterson, N.J.

A. Hair loss or shedding may be normal if the dog is kept in a warm house. However, hormone imbalance also can produce hair loss, as can mange, fungus and allergy. In other words, thorough examination is required for accurate diagnosis and treatment of your pet's particular problem. Have him examined by your veterinarian.

CLINIC: Q. I have a parrot, but I'll be honest if I know yet whether it's a he or she.

T.R.E., Keyport, N.J.

A. I'll be honest with you. In my opinion it's almost impossible to determine the sex of a parrot.

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Is there something you want to know? Do you want to win a set of valuable books or other instructive prizes? Then ask Andy. Andy will answer questions submitted by child readers and those who submit the questions he selects to answer will receive worthwhile prizes. The youngster who asks the first question answered each day receives a 50-volume set of the World Book Encyclopedia and of the second question a Hammond Atlas or Globe.

Andy sends a complete, 20-volume set of the World Book Encyclopedia to Reed Hopkin, age 12, of Huntsville, Ala., for his question:

How long is an era in geology?

Our word era was borrowed from a Latin word for the brass counters used to keep accounts. Accounts suggest bookkeeping which suggests a period of time. An era came to mean a period of time on a certain date, and in modern language its length may be brief or immensely long. There is plenty of reason for us to become confused about this small word. Since Roman days, when it was a brass money counter, it has taken on many meanings. As a rule it is a period of time, but the duration of time may vary. The Christian Era is some 2,000 years old. The era of a king may be a generation. The era of the automobile began in the days of your grandparents, and sometimes era and day or days have the same meaning. The eras of geological history

### Lasted 900,000,000 Years

The Proterozoic Era means earlier life, and it was the day of much simpler, much earlier creatures than those that were to follow. It lasted almost 900 million years. The following Paleozoic Era was the day of the old life. The bare earth began to clothe herself in green plants and populate the land with insects and creeping, stubby-legged amphibians. It lasted some 320 million years and saw the first reptiles. The following Mesozoic Era tells the story of middle life. It was the day of the dinosaurs. Though it lasted only 110 million years, it saw

the early and earlier forms of life transformed into the types of animal that populate our familiar planet.

The Cenozoic Era of recent life opened less than a million years ago. The earth was all ready, adorned with plants and tenanted with hosts of fascinating animals. The day came for the creation of man and the human family arrived at last to inhabit his luxurious planet home.

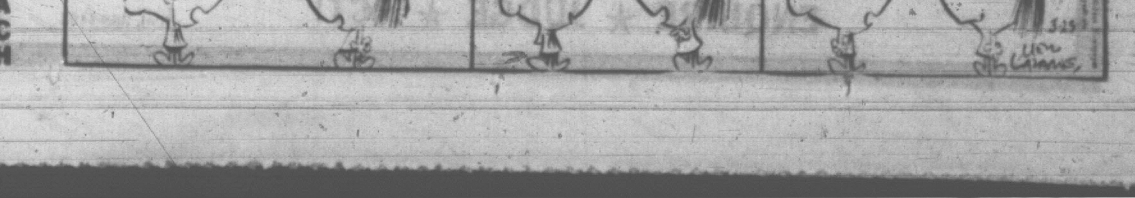
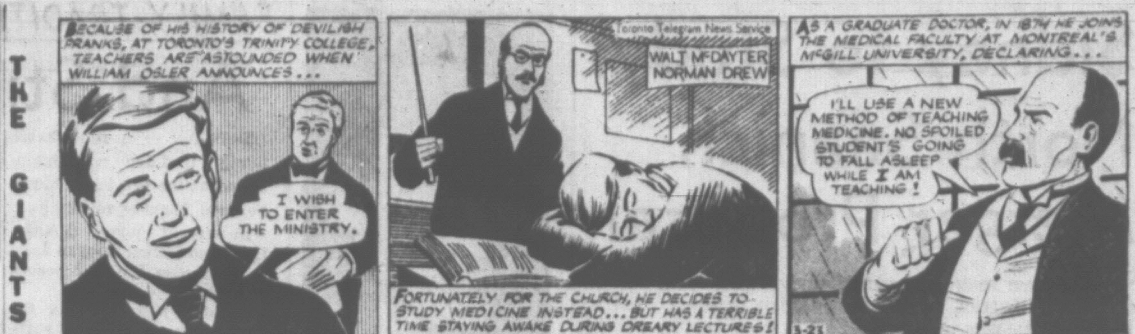
Since the span of a geological era runs to hundreds of millions of years, the recent Cenozoic Era in which we live has barely begun. We can expect it to stretch at least 100 million years into the future and perhaps much, much farther. The newly arrived human family has struggled and coped with many of the problems in its new home. We have enjoyed the place, thank you, and done quite well for ourselves. Who knows what wonders of nature control, planet control and self-control we shall reach before this present Cenozoic Era of earth's history closes its last page?

Andy sends a World Book Atlas to Susan Karalekas, age 11, of South Portland, Me., for her question:

Why is October the tenth and not the eighth month?

There are eight notes in an octave and eight voices are needed to form an octet. The word oct, octo or octa comes from an old Greek word for eight, and as the prefix to a word it indicates eight sides, parts or sections. October by rights should be the eighth month, and at one time it was. The early Roman calendar had 10 properly named months. Martius, now March, was the first. Quintilius was the fifth. Sextilius was the sixth and October the eighth month of the year.

Julius Caesar streamlined this calendar to agree with the days of the real year. In his honor, Quintilius was renamed July and later Sextilius was named August for his nephew Augustus. January and February were added to make a 12-month calendar, but the old Roman months were not brought up to date with proper new names and numbers. Martius, named for the first, became the third month, and October, named as the eighth, became the tenth month of the remodeled calendar and so they remain.

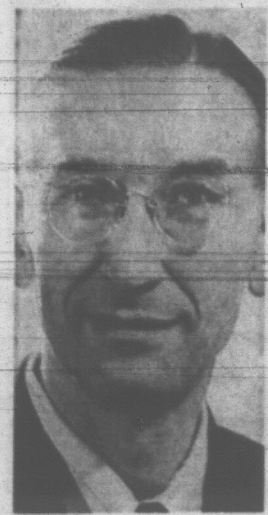




## Sidney to Study North Saanich Merger Proposal

A move to incorporate Sidney village and the unorganized district of North Saanich into a district municipality was taken at a Sidney commission meeting Monday.

### Island Digest



The commission agreed to seek information from Municipal Affairs Dan Campbell on steps it can take to bring about the formation of a district municipality.

Sidney's other alternative is to become a town—once its population reaches the 3,000 mark.

Incorporation with the district was more attractive and in the best interests of the village, the commission felt.

Comm. Douglas Taylor urged immediate action in view of Central Saanich interest in amalgamating with North Saanich.

Reeve H. Gordon Lee reiterated today that Central Saanich is prepared to consider incorporation if the request for union came from residents of North Saanich.

"Our interests are similar," he said. "And we have all the machinery to look after the unorganized district."

Meanwhile, ratepayer groups in North Saanich are studying the pros and cons of forming a district municipality of their own.

### EGG PRICES

Grade	Large	Small	Medium
Grade A	31	28	25
Grade B	28	25	22

**FEATURED SPEAKER** at the next general meeting of the Vancouver Island University Association Saturday at noon at the Qualicum Beach Inn will be Dr. Leonard Marsh, of the University of B.C.'s School of Social Work. Dr. Marsh is doing a special study on a junior college for Vancouver Island.

### YOUTH SHOT IN STOMACH

**PORT ALBERNI**—A valley youth is in good condition today in hospital with a gunshot wound in his abdomen following an accident in his home Monday.

The youth, whose identity was not disclosed by RCMP, was wounded by a .22-calibre rifle.

Police said he was "playing with it."

### Island Girls Selected For Bake-Off

Two V.I. girls have been selected to join eight other provincial finalists in the Five Roses Young Canada Bake-Off Saturday in Vancouver.

They are Colleen Ireland, 16, of RCAF Station, Comox, and Linda Weismiller, 16, of Gibbins Road, Duncan.

Winner of the Vancouver bake-off will be named provincial champion and go on to Toronto for the national finals May 8.

### 4-H TRIP TO WASHINGTON

## Islanders Visit 'Contented Cows'

Forty members of Saanich and Metchoin 4-H (junior farm clubs) have returned home from a visit on the week-end to one of the top show places in agriculture in the world today.

They spent a day at the "home of contented cows" at

Carnation, Wash., where fine Holstein dairy cattle and Hereford beef gave them points to ponder in their club work.

The visit was organized by Mrs. Tom O'Reilly, leader of the new Saanich Peninsula 4-H Beef Club who was assisted by Joe Taylor, leader of the Saanich 4-H Holstein Club.

The party included members of their clubs and representatives from the Three-S 4-H Beef Club, (Sidney, Saanich, Sooke), the Mal-San Lamb Club, Saanich 4-H Jersey Calf Club and the Luxton Beef Club.

### STARTED IN 1899

They learned that the Carnation Milk Products Co. Ltd. was started in Kent, Wash. in 1899 by E. A. Stuart who was the first to use a homogenizer, a machine to break up the butterfat in milk for easier digestion by infants and invalids, and to open evaporated milk plants.

From Washington, the Carnation company spread its operations to Oregon, Wisconsin, New York and Pennsylvania, to Canada, and in later years to many southern states.

As it developed its processing plants, the company continued a herd improvement

program, the results of which the 4-H young people saw during their visit to the "home farm" which is situated 35 miles east of Seattle.

## DEEP-SEA SHIPS IN PORT

(Cargo is lumber unless otherwise indicated)

**Victoria** — Christen Smith, Europe, Skagerrak, U.S.; Olympic Palm, U.S.; Bonita, South Africa.

**Bamberton** — Melida, cement, Ceylon.

**Chemainus** — Ionian Trader, U.K.

**Crofton** — Canada Mail, Japan; Spiros Polemis, U.S.

**Harmac** — Hereford Beacon, Australia.

**Nanaimo** — Polydoros, South Africa; Evie, Europe.

**Alberni** — Frances Salmon, U.S.; Prinsdal, Japan; Dr. Antonis Lemos, U.K.

**Tahsis** — Tidecrest, South Africa; Efcharif, U.K.

**OCEAN MAILS**

(Closing dates at Vancouver)

March 24 — Canada Mail, Japan, Philippine Islands and Korea.

March 27 — Cecilia Vallarino, New Zealand; General Lim, Ja-

pan, Hong Kong and Philippine Islands.

March 28 — Oronsay, Japan, Hong Kong, Philippine Islands and Malaya.

April 1 — Bengal Mail, Japan, Hong Kong and Malaya.

(At San Francisco)

March 26 — Monterey, Fiji, Australia and New Zealand.

April 1 — President Wilson, Japan, Hong Kong and Philippine Islands.

April 2 — Wangaratta, Australia.

## FAMILY TRADITION MAINTAINED AT FESTIVAL

# And Still Another Dougan Plays and Wins

**DUNCAN** — A remarkable family tradition was maintained at the Cowichan Music Festival Monday night.

In recent years Sharon, Lynn and Donna Dougan have in turn won the top honors as pianists.

Monday night it was the turn of the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Dougan, Shawnigan Lake.

Heather, 16, did not let the clam down. She took first place in the open senior class achieving 85 points.

Heather is entered in a variety of piano classes the rest of the week, a tough schedule for someone facing

the challenge of upholding the family traditions.

When the piano classes started Monday evening adjudicator Boris Roubakine, Vancouver, put the competitors at ease by telling them: "We're here in the spirit of making nice music together

and not to worry about who gets one point more or one less."

Monday's results:

Piano — Sonatas, intermediate class under 15 years:

1, Deborah Collins, Youbou; 2, Barbara Soudsby, Mill Bay.

Senior, open grade 10 or over: 1, Heather Dougan; 2, Andrea Collins, Youbou.

Under 18 years, grade 9: 1, Stephanie Soudsby, Mill Bay; 2, Barbara White, Chemainus.

Speech Arts, boys under 13 years: 1, Edward Henderson, Cliffside Preparatory School;

2, Lachlan McKinnon, Duncan.

Girls under 14 years: 1, Irene Graczyk, Ladysmith.

Boys under 14 years: 1, Brian Seward, Ladysmith.

Girls under 15 years: 1, Elizabeth McKinnon, Ragn-

hild Flakstad, Duncan.

### TRUSTEES REJECT POOL

## Centennial Nod Given Library

Construction of a public library as a joint centennial project for Sidney and North Saanich was unanimously endorsed Monday by Saanich School Board.

The Sidney and North Saanich centennial committee is considering building either a swimming pool or library as a centennial project.

The board also appointed a committee to plan for the acquisition of school sites.

School trustees felt property for school sites will be difficult to acquire in another decade due to the steady population growth.

The committee is composed of Nora Lindsay, chairman, trustee Cuthbert Brown and Brian Shaw, superintendent of buildings.

The board was informed the provincial government has approved the purchase of two additional buses.

The buses are mainly needed to transport 150 students from North Saanich Junior Secondary School to Claremont secondary school where a vocational wing will be built this year.

Appointment of Alex Porteous, executive assistant to Health Minister Eric Martin, as school trustee was announced at the who has moved to the city.

The board also agreed to publish four news letters a year to inform ratepayers on school matters.

## PEACE MARCH ORGANIZED

Plans are being made for a 14-day peace march from Victoria to the RCAF base at Comox.

Drew Tait and Peter Light, two Vancouver pacifists, have been organizing for support in both centres.

The march is planned to start May 22 and end June 4. A small advance party will visit Comox to tell the community a nuclear air base is morally wrong, said Mr. Tait.

### PARK RALLY

The march is expected to be preceded by a rally in Beacon Hill Park. When the marchers arrive at Comox, a 25-hour vigil will be held.

This will be followed by a peaceful sit-in blocking the road to the base.

"The sit-in will be for a minimum of 24 hours," said Mr. Tait. "We may continue the whole summer if we have enough support."

Jet interceptors at the Comox base have not yet been equipped with nuclear weapons.

The last statement by Defence Minister Paul Hellyer was in November when he said: "We expect this special ammunition early in the New Year."



MILLER

overemphasize their shortcomings.

"Canada is a great country with enormous potentiality but we exaggerate our failings," he said.

"We need a stronger sense of unity."

The convention continued today with decisions on major resolutions, including shopping hours, and election of officers.



## Spring Savings! in EATON'S Downstairs Budget Store

Fashion Values for the Family and Items for Your Home! Shop All Day Wednesday!

### Bulky Knit Cardigans

Thick, warm bulky knits to wear with your favourite skirts and slims all through Spring and Summer! With button front and long sleeves, cardigans have a fancy knit crew neck and attractive novelty stitch pattern. Choose pink, blue, beige and white in sizes S, M and L. **Special, each 4.00**

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Just the thing to brighten your bedroom this season! Bedspreads have an all-over woven pattern in pink, blue or brown. **Special, each 2.69**

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In white, blue, yellow and green, with skid-proof back. Set has tufted pattern and includes a rug 19"x34", contour piece for around toilet, and lid cover. **Special, set 4.00**

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A large variety of decorator toss cushions to add colour and originality to your home! Choose from many colours, shapes and sizes in corduroy and rayon finishes. **Special, each 1.79**

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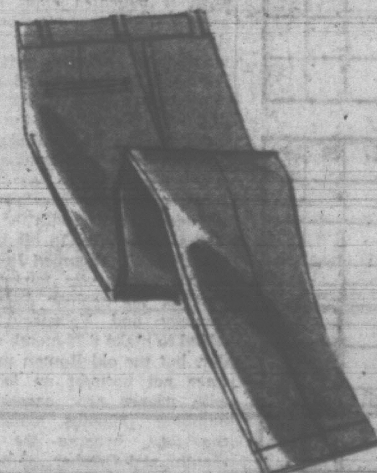
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## In Our HOUSE

By Arthur Mayse

Whether he roars up breakneck hills on a brawny 74-cubic-inch or sputters to work on a little 50 cc, the British Columbia motorcyclist who takes to the roads without a safety helmet will be on the wrong side of the law after July 1.

He's also in the soup if his pillion passenger lacks the same shatterproof headgear.

This life-saving scrap of legislation passed its third reading in the legislative chamber without a word of dissent on Monday.

Only argument was over how strict police should be in enforcing the law. Some members felt that the boy out on a three-block errand should receive only a warning if he left his helmet at home. Most, though, took the view that a trip of any length holds hazards, and favored sterner measures.

One suggestion was that he should be required to dismount and wheel his machine until he and his helmet were reunited.

Much less palatable to opposition members was an amendment which, in the opinion of Cranbrook NDP Leo Nimsick, could give B.C. "a highway gestapo."

The clause in question, Attorney-General Bonner explained, will allow highway department emergency vehicle drivers to pursue or flag down those who tend to set their own speed limits. It was inspired by a mainland incident wherein a highway department car took out after a speeder, who when apprehended, promptly laid a speeding charge against his pursuer.

Recalling last December yearnings by Highway Minister Gagliardi for provincial highway police, Opposition Leader Strachan suggested that ever since Mr. Gagliardi got his ferry route trouble shooters, he has been angling for just such a force as may stem from this legislation.

Except to trade the occasional snarl, Liberals and New Democrats have been getting along with exceptionally little friction this session.

The afternoon sitting, however, saw a brisk exchange between Liberal Leader Ray Perrault and Dewdney NDP David Barrett over promoters' plans for a North Vancouver alpine area.

In Mr. Barrett's view, a group of which certain members are known to the government has sought to alienate a provincial park called "Cypress Bowl" by plastering it with miners' claims and placer leases.

No sooner was he seated than Mr. Perrault rose to challenge. The claims and leases, he said, were designed only to protect the group from other winter sport promoters eager to set up shop in Cypress Bowl.

"In exchange for a \$300,000 bond," he declared, "the government is giving them the right to build a ski lift. Much of the alleged information given to the House is not responsible."

Last word came from Recreation and Conservation Minister Kiernan, who insisted that Cypress Bowl isn't a park but simply unoccupied Crown land, and chided Mr. Barrett for his suspicions.

"I do resent this suggestion of some dark and dubious scheme," he told members, "especially when it is based on a fallacy, then bounds from fallacy to fallacy like a mountain goat gone berserk."

A nice flourish, that, in a plodding day which saw Premier Bennett adjourn the sitting sharp at 11 p.m. with the Revenue Act amendment still on the gridle.

## LAND IN ATLANTIC 85 MILES OFF TARGET

# U.S. Space Duo Land Safely

## RANGER COURSE CORRECTED

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — A small steering rocket ignited briefly aboard Ranger IX today, prodding the camera-carrying spacecraft to a course that hopefully will send it hurtling to its death into a moon crater.

A spokesman for Jet Propulsion Laboratory said the U.S. spacecraft acknowledged a ground signal and "apparently executed the command." But scientists say they would not know for certain whether the manoeuvre was successful for at least 10 hours.

## New Weapons Raise Danger, Wilson Warns

LONDON (Reuters) — Prime Minister Wilson told Parliament today the introduction of any new weapons in Viet Nam or extension of the anti-Communist war there carries with it "greater danger," but he refused to condemn the use of non-lethal gas.

He made it clear Britain is against any extension of the Viet Nam war but said as far as he knows only tear gas has been used against the Communist guerrillas in South Viet Nam and this is not against international conventions.

"But," he added, "any bringing in of new weapons—any extension of the war in any way... carries with it all the greater danger."

He said Britain seeks elucidation of a statement attributed to U.S. ambassador to South Viet Nam, Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, that there are no limits to expansion of the war in Viet Nam.

Wilson said: "I think this goes considerably further than anything I have told the House. I think one must be concerned to find out what the facts are."

Wilson's carefully worded answers to a hushed House of Commons were to a series of questions chiefly from his own supporters, nearly 60 of whom

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## U.S. Digging 'Own Pit' In Viet Nam

MOSCOW (CP) — Leonid Brezhnev said today that the Soviet Union is "already taking the necessary measures of assistance to strengthen the defensive potential" of North Viet Nam.

The Soviet Communist party chief told a Red Square crowd welcoming the Soviet Union's two new cosmonauts: "If the American aggressors hope that time will pass and their actions in Viet Nam will be forgotten, that time will wash away the disgrace of their crimes, they are deeply mistaken."

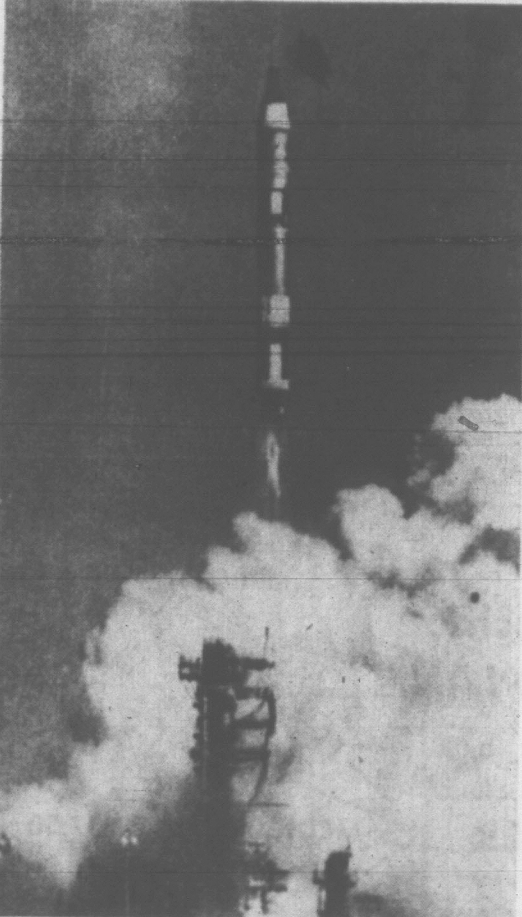
"We are warning the aggressors: by your criminal actions you are digging such a pit beneath your feet from which you then may not be able to get out."

He added that the Soviet government was receiving many applications from Soviet citizens "expressing their readiness to take part in the Vietnamese people's struggle for freedom and independence."

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## Convoys Hit

SAIGON (AP) — Eight South Vietnamese fighter-bombers knocked out a radar station and hit military road convoys in North Viet Nam today, a South Vietnamese military spokesman announced.



BLASTING OFF at start of three-orbit trip around world are United States astronauts Virgil I. Grissom and John W. Young in nose cone (arrow) in first two-man space launching by U.S. (AP Wirephoto.)

## VOICE FROM MOLLY:

## 'Yeah, Man... Oh It's Spectacular'

The Molly Brown, calling earth... speaking from space...

Seventeen seconds after lift-off, Astronaut L. Gordon Cooper on the ground, advises: "You're on your way, Molly Brown!"

Command pilot Gus Grissom, the laconic voice of Molly Brown: "Yeah, man... oh, man!"

Now it's over Australia, at T-plus-56: "I can see very clearly the lights of Perth."

Query from astronaut Charles (Pete) Conrad at Carnarvon, Australia, tracking station: "What is the suit temperature?"

Grissom: "Fifty-four" degrees.

Swinging into the second orbit...



SYMBOL of the gay and glittering era of silent movies, Mae Murray, 75, died today at Motion Picture Country House and Hospital in Hollywood. The hospital said her death came after a prolonged illness due to a stroke in August, 1964.

## HUTCHISON SERIES—PAGE 4

Mr. Pearson's intended French-Canadian lieutenants have lost the confidence of Quebec, as well as of the rest of Canada.

Whom will he now choose to replace Mr. Lamontagne and Mr. Favreau and restore the necessary bi-racial flavor to the Liberal leadership?

On page 4 today Bruce Hutchison takes a look behind the scenes at the national capital to see what is developing.

## Manoeuvre Ship During 3 Orbits

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — A helicopter picked astronauts Virgil Grissom and John Young out of the Atlantic Ocean today and landed them safely on the deck of the U.S. aircraft carrier Intrepid. Grissom stepped from the helicopter to the deck of the ship with a broad smile on his face. John Young followed quickly.

CAPE KENNEDY (AP) — The daring U.S. space twins, Virgil Grissom and John Young, flew the world's first manoeuvrable manned spaceship three times around the earth today, but mission control said they missed their main target by about 85 miles when the capsule parachuted into the Atlantic Ocean.

Aircraft sighted the capsule floating in the water. One of the planes dropped para-rescue divers and they swam towards the vehicle to secure it with a flotation collar.

Mission control reported the time of the splash-down at 2:18 p.m. EST (11:18 a.m. PST).

At 2:43 p.m., mission control reported that the flotation collar had been fitted around the spacecraft and swimmers were deployed around the spacecraft.

Astronauts Grissom and Young reported by radio that they were in good shape after the landing.

The astronauts opened the hatches and aircraft flying overhead said they were giving the thumbs-up signal.

Later the astronauts were picked up by a helicopter for the flight to the aircraft carrier Intrepid, reported 40 miles from the site and speeding in that direction.

The pulsating flight, in which the astronauts flew their space chariot backwards, forwards, sideways and upside down—and executed the first orbital shifts ever made by a manned space vehicle—was an effective rehearsal for long-duration and rendezvous flights planned in the two-man Gemini program in the next few months.

Grissom, 38-year-old air force major who became the first man to rocket twice into space, and Young, 34-year-old navy lieutenant-commander, were in the air four hours 54 minutes in a flight that covered more than 81,000 miles.

In what was described as a "textbook flight," they experienced only a few minor technical difficulties.

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Grissom reported that the Molly Brown responded well to his control and he was able to manoeuvre it with ease.

From the moment of orbital insertion until landing, the spacecraft was flown manually and did not rely on automatic equipment as did the one-man mercury capsules.

Young, a fledgling spaceman, took over the controls for the first time during the third orbit, flying it for some 20 minutes.

Then the veteran Grissom resumed control and guided the Molly Brown to the parachute landing.

Grissom operated the jets that thrust the capsule into a nearly circular orbit ranging from 97 to 105 miles high.

A Titan II rocket had originally launched the craft, officially called Gemini III, into an orbit with a high point of 140 miles and a low of 100 miles.

Ability to manoeuvre a spacecraft is essential before space rendezvous—and flight onward to the moon—can be accomplished. A series of 10 Gemini flights will be followed by the Apollo moon program.

The Molly Brown was named by the astronauts after the musical, The Unsinkable Molly Brown—an

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U.S. SPACE MEN John W. Young (front) and Virgil I. Grissom carry portable air conditioning units to elevator before being launched into orbit today. (AP Wirephoto.)

## BID REJECTED

## PM Not Going To Bribe Probe

OTTAWA (CP) — Chief Justice Frederic Dorian today rejected a motion by three opposition parties that Prime Minister Pearson be summoned as a witness before his inquiry into alleged attempted bribery and influence-peddling by ministerial aides.

The judge said he couldn't see how testimony by the prime minister would supply his commission with "any useful information."

He said that throughout the inquiry he has felt that if any person, no matter how high his position in government or elsewhere, could not enlighten the commission there was no point in summoning the prime minister.

Ross Drouin, Conservative party counsel, had remarked that Mr. Pearson would be called as a witness immediately if he were not the prime minister.

Chief Justice Dorian said he wonders whether the commission has the right to go into the relationships between members of the Cabinet.

He said he doesn't know whether there must be constant

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## WIRE BRIEFS

### Deadline Extended

OTTAWA (CP) — Extension of the deadline for the \$500 winter housebuilding bonus to April 15 from March 31 was announced in the Commons today by Labor Minister MacEwen.

### Formula Approved

CHARLOTTETOWN (CP) — The Prince Edward Island legislature unanimously approved today the proposed formula to amend the Canadian constitution.

### Rail Bridge Burned

KAMLOOPS (CP) — Fire destroyed an 85-foot railway bridge about 56 miles east of here early this morning, delaying Canadian National Railway trains about seven hours.

## SCIENTIST TO KENNEDY: 'BOY, DO I ENVY YOU'

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (AP) — Cheered by forecasts of continued good weather, the Mount Kennedy climbing party faced today the first step in the ascent of the 13,900-foot mountain, highest unclimbed peak in North America.

Senator Robert F. Kennedy and the other expedition members spent the night at a base camp on Hyannis Port Glacier, which they named after Kennedy's arrival Monday afternoon.

The Kennedy family has a home at Hyannis Port, Mass. The climbers plan to reach a second base camp and spend the night after their first day up the mountain, named by the Canadian government for the U.S. senator's slain brother.

President John F. Kennedy.

The sun was shining brightly as the party flew Monday to the camp from Whitehorse in an RCAF helicopter.

The weather office said the wind is not expected to exceed 20-30 miles an hour, and the temperature should not be below zero.

James W. Whittaker of Seattle, leader of the expedition and the first American to scale Mount Everest, had predicted they might encounter fierce wind and temperatures around 40 below zero.

Whittaker has said the party could be back in two or three days, if the weather remains good.

Kennedy, Whittaker and Dr. Bradford Washburn, scientific leader of the expedition and

director of Boston Museum.

flew Monday from Seattle to Juneau, Alaska, by airliner, and from there to Whitehorse by chartered plane.

A big two-rotor helicopter took them to the 8,500-foot base camp, where Kennedy pitched in with the others to shovel snow and haul on a rope to free a ski-equipped airplane, chartered by reporters, which got stuck.

Washburn, who headed a 1935 expedition that first explored the area, returned to Whitehorse in the helicopter after telling Kennedy and Whittaker: "Boy, do I envy you."

The expedition is sponsored by the National Geographic Society and the Boston Museum, its principal object being to map the mountain and the surrounding peaks and glaciers more thoroughly.

Only Canadian in the eight-man climbing party is James Craig, 40, a Vancouver lawyer and veteran mountaineer.

Others in the party are Barry Prather, Ellensburg, Wash.; Dee Molenaar, Olympia, Wash.; William Prater, Ellensburg; George Senner, Seattle, and William Allard, photographer for the National Geographic Society.



PITCHING IN to help free a ski plane chartered by reporters at base camp were Senator Robert Kennedy and expedition leader Jim Whittaker. Sen. Kennedy hopes to climb the mountain named after his brother, assassinated U.S. president, John F. Kennedy. (AP Wirephoto.)

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allusion to Grissom's first spaceship, which sank in the Atlantic Ocean after a return from a sub-orbital flight. While President Johnson and others watched on television, the Titan thundered into the skies at 9:24 a.m. EST (6:24 a.m. PST.)

Before the first orbit was completed, the mission control centre gave the green light for a second orbit, they okayed a third.

The drop in orbital altitude was not a sudden thing. As the thruster jets fired for 77 seconds, the spacecraft moved gradually into its new path as it sailed over Georgia at about 17,400 miles an hour.

Midway through the second orbit, Grissom conducted another space craft manoeuvre which will be important to future rendezvous flights. He twisted the capsule around 90 degrees so it was flying sideways and pointing south.

Then he fired his forward jets for 15 seconds to shoot the craft onto an orbital path about 1½ miles south of the original course. Then he quickly turned the space craft around 180 degrees so it was pointing north and executed a number of rapid jet firings to stimulate action which might have to be taken as a spacecraft approaches a target satellite on a rendezvous mission.

In another space first, the U.S. Syncom II communications satellite was used to relay information from the Molly Brown to the ground tracking network while the spacecraft flew above the Indian Ocean on orbit No. 2. Syncom II, which had been used as a backup relay during the early portions of the flight, became a main relay point when a tracking station in Australia was cut off briefly from communications.

During orbit No. 3, Grissom fired the jets again to drop the low point of the orbit to 52 miles—an altitude that would allow the spacecraft to be automatically drawn back to earth by gravity and atmospheric friction.

This step would eliminate any possibility that Grissom and Young would be marooned in space.

Only three minor problems developed in this first flight by a steerable spacecraft. Two involved a secondary electronic system associated with a thruster jet and a slight pressure drop in a fuel system. Both problems corrected themselves in a short time.

The other involved the blood pressure cuff on Grissom's arm which he said he was unable to operate. Grissom and Young had to remain in the capsule only 23 minutes longer than originally planned as the launch crew went through a near-perfect countdown.

Thousands watched the launch from the beaches around this spacecraft. More watched on television. Among them were President Johnson, who witnessed the spectacle on TV at the White House.

Others included Barbara Young and Betty Grissom, wives of the Gemini pilots, at their homes in Houston, Tex. Both arose before dawn to begin the tense vigil.

Grissom and Young are the 18th and 19th persons and the seventh and eight Americans to fly into space. Russia has orbited 10 men and one woman.

Three Russian cosmonauts went aloft in the Voskhod I last Oct. 16 in the first multi-manned flight. Just five days ago, two more Russians shot into orbit and one of them stepped outside the capsule in a historic space feat.

Aboard the spacecraft were sea urchin eggs, sent aloft to determine effect of weightlessness on simple living tissue. Another experiment was with human blood to determine effects of combination of weightlessness and radiation on blood.

FULTON  
no comment

## Students Hit Secret Meet With Fulton

By CANDIDE TEMPLE  
A brief student demonstration Monday protested a Uvic appearance by British Columbia Conservative leader E. David Fulton.

The protest started when Mr. Fulton spoke only to a closed meeting of university Conservatives in the Student Union Building.

Reporters of the university newspaper Martlet were asked to leave. Soon after students appeared with placards objecting to this procedure.

Paul Williamson, president of the students' council, said if the meeting was to be closed to students generally, then it should not have taken place in the Student Union Building but in a private home.

Adrienne Effeumont, president of the Uvic Conservative Club, said the protest was "embarrassing to me, to the club and to Mr. Fulton."

A news leak from the closed meeting quoted Mr. Fulton as stating, "I want to go back to federal politics because I feel that is where I belong."

But in an interview later he refused to comment on the question.

Mr. Fulton, a former justice minister in the Diefenbaker government, has often been mentioned as a possible candidate for the prime minister's job in a new Tory government, if Mr. Diefenbaker is displaced as national leader.

Mr. Fulton would not comment either on the chances of an early federal election. "I have been wrong too often before," he said.

## QOR All Packed For Cyprus Trip

The 99-member advance party of First Battalion, Queen's Own Rifles, was all packed and ready to roll for Cyprus by 8 a.m. today.

They will leave at 9 p.m. tonight aboard an RCAF Yukon aircraft from the navy's VU-33 utility squadron at Patricia Bay airport.

A cabinet order sending the QORs to maintain Canada's peacekeeping role on the island came Monday afternoon.

Each infantry man is permitted a total of 150 pounds equipment — barrack box, kit bag, large pack and FN rifle.

The soldiers will report to Work Point Barracks, Esquimalt, at 6:30 p.m. From there they will go to Pat Bay to embark on their 18-hour flight.

The airlift includes refueling stops at Trenton, Ont., and Shot By Bodyguard

HAVANA (Reuters)—Cuban Transport Minister Faure Chomon, 36, was accidentally shot in the thigh by one of his bodyguards Monday. The minister was getting into his car after a visit to friends when the bodyguard's gun went off. Chomon was taken to hospital for treatment. Officials said his condition was not serious.

The soldiers will be wearing the blue berets of the United Nations and flying the blue UN flag during their stay in a 350-mile area in northern Cyprus.

Marville, France, before landing in Nicotia. The flight is 6,000 air miles long.

## NIGHTLY FLIGHTS

Remainder of the 729-member battalion will be transported in a succession of nightly flights beginning April 1.

Joining the advance party will be units of the Royal Canadian Dragoons from Camp Gagetown, N.B.

The RCDs and QORs will comprise a force of 875 men to replace some 1,000 Canadians now in Cyprus.

The tour of duty is expected to last six months, depending on the UN mandate which was renewed for three months Friday, effective March 26.

The mandate comes up for renewal again June 26.

Arriving troops will start arriving at their homes in mid-April. They are First Battalion, Canadian Guards, Picton, Ont., and a reconnaissance squadron, Lord Strathcona's Horse of Calgary.

The soldiers will be wearing the blue berets of the United Nations and flying the blue UN flag during their stay in a 350-mile area in northern Cyprus.



MEASURES to implement President Johnson's attack on U.S. crime were proposed Monday by Sen. Thomas Dodd, D.-Conn. He would stop mail order sales to individuals of all firearms from small calibre pistols to anti-tank guns and bazookas.

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## Pat Bay Four-Laner May Come This Year

Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi's plan for a \$2 million widening of Patricia Bay Highway this year may grow into full-scale redevelopment of the route.

Mr. Gagliardi Monday said he had sent a request to Ottawa that it share half the cost of "any work done on improving Pat Bay Highway this year."

He said if the federal government did share in the cost, the project would involve "a permanent improvement."

Mr. Gagliardi declined to say whether this meant a new divided four-lane route would be started this year.

However, in his earlier announcement at this session of the legislature, he said the \$2 million widening project would

not be the permanent solution because in about five years time a new route would have to be built to provide four lanes with a dividing strip.

In Ottawa, the House of Commons was told that the B.C. request is being considered by the public works department.

David Groos (Lib.-Victoria) raised the matter during a debate and said the highway would cost \$9.5 million to widen.

## A WORD TO THE WISE

Carbon tetrachloride "is a poison so vicious it should be banned," says a New York poison expert. Many types of do-it-yourself dry-cleaner can be found which do not contain carbon tet.

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communication among members of the Cabinet. Even if there were, it was a matter for "internal administration."

The motion that Mr. Pearson be called was advanced by Paul Jolin, New Democratic Party counsel, and supported by Mr. Drouin and Francois Even, Creditiste lawyer.

## OPPOSE MOTION

The motion was opposed by Jules Deschenes, federal government counsel, Gilles Godin, counsel for Andre Letendre, an aide to Justice Minister Favreau, and Francois Chapados, counsel for Liberal organizer Guy Masson.

Mr. Deschenes maintained that any conversations between Mr. Pearson and Mr. Favreau in the case were privileged. Members of the Cabinet were bound by their oath of office and the commission would not be legally justified in calling Mr. Pearson.

Mr. Deschenes said Mr. Jolin's motion was at least premature until Mr. Favreau had appeared.

Argument on the motion, which delayed the inquiry's proceedings, resumed today after a two-week break.

Mr. Jolin said it is essential to give Mr. Pearson an opportunity to explain to the inquiry a letter he submitted last De-

cember referring to the date on which he was advised of RCMP investigations into charges of attempted bribery and coercion by aides to federal cabinet ministers.

He noted that Mr. Pearson told the Commons last November he had been made aware of the investigation only a day or two before but his December letter said he had been advised of it on Sept. 2.

## EXPLANATION USUAL

Mr. Jolin said that it is customary when such a document is submitted to swear in the author and have him explain it.

He also said that he thinks it essential that Mr. Pearson tell the commission how he was informed of the investigation and by whom and what instructions were issued by the prime minister particularly since Mr. Pearson's former parliamentary secretary, Liberal MP Guy Routhieu, was involved.

Mr. Jolin said the public has a right to know what Mr. Pearson's conduct was after he had been informed, adding that surely the prime minister conferred with Justice Minister Favreau and gave him impressions and instructions.

He recalled that Mr. Pearson has already told the Commons that he was prepared to testify if Chief Justice Frederic Dorion invited him to do so.

## WILSON

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expressed "horror and indignation" at United States policy in a cable sent to British Foreign Secretary Michael Stewart in Washington Monday night.

U.S. - supplied South Vietnamese forces have used non-lethal gas against Communists.

The prime minister carefully avoided antagonizing his own left wing or upsetting the U.S., whose policy in Viet Nam his administration has supported.

Wilson told the House Britain had not been told in advance that napalm bombs or gas would be used in Viet Nam.

Conservative Opposition Leader Sir Alec Douglas-Home agreed with the prime minister when he said at the outset that he would prefer to say little about Viet Nam pending the outcome of Stewart's current talks with U.S. President Johnson and state secretary Dean Rusk.

Wilson disclosed that Britain is determined to go ahead on its own initiative to see whether it could help to bring peace to Viet Nam.

Stewart has told U.S. State Secretary Dean Rusk the Soviet Union wants to stay aloof from the Viet Nam war.

Britain's new foreign policy chief was expected to give the

same report to President Johnson today when he called at the White House.

The rigidly negative Soviet attitude on Viet Nam was conveyed in London by Andrei Gromyko, Russia's foreign minister.

The Soviet position does not offer any latitude for diplomatic manoeuvres, Stewart was reported as having told Rusk. This frustrates British hopes to bring about a negotiated peace with Moscow's help.

Moscow radio led off an expected barrage from Communist capitals with a broadcast accusing the United States of "using increasingly barbarous methods — in particular waging chemical warfare" in Viet Nam.

In Paris, the influential evening newspaper Le Monde takes issue with an unidentified U.S. officer who was quoted as saying one problem is to accustom the public to the idea of employing non-lethal gases.

"The problem is not to accustom the public to this idea" but to speak up against the use of methods of warfare even more criticizable than others," Le Monde says. "The Americans now will be badly placed to denounce the forms (of warfare) taken by the campaign of the Viet Cong."



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THEFT, PIRACY CHARGES STUDIED

Legal Squall Hits Tilikum; Rebel at Helm

By PETE LOUDON  
Storm warnings were issued today for those who sailed off with the famous dugout Tilikum last week.

G. R. "Rebel" Mowat, a tourist operator, has applied

to lay charges against the trucking firm which carried her from Thunderbird Park to the new Maritime Museum.

And research suggests that if the ship is displayed there,

where an admission fee is charged, Victoria will be shattering a trust imposed 35 years ago.

This new chapter in the history of the 105-year-old vessel which all but girdled

ADMISSION FEE BREAKS TRUST

the globe in the early 1900s is still unfolding — but this much is known today:

Last Tuesday a low-bed trailer raised the three-ton Tilikum from her cement berth in the provincially-owned park at Belleville and Douglas and carried her to the old courthouse on Bastion Square where the Maritime Museum is opening this fall.

Mr. Mowat took offence. He said Tilikum was donated to the city in 1930 and without permission of the city, it could not be legally moved.

THEFT, PIRACY

Monday, appraised of the fact that Victoria city had not been consulted, he visited city prosecutor Peter Birkett and asked that a charge of theft or piracy be laid against Victoria Van and Storage Company which moved the vessel.

"I talked to several policemen and detectives Saturday, but they would not lay a charge and said I would have to see the prosecutor," said Mr. Mowat.

He said he is a citizen of Victoria, therefore a part owner of the three-ton vessel. So Monday he saw Mr. Birkett.

Mr. Mowat said Mr. Birkett said he would have to look into the matter before laying any charges.

'MISUNDERSTANDING'

Mr. Birkett told The Times today, "We'll look into it. There may be an explanation. All I am concerned with is the possibility of criminal charges. This seems to be a misunderstanding."

"I told Mr. Mowat we'd have to hold an investigation before charges could be laid," said Mr. Birkett.

Col. J. W. D. Symons, director of the Maritime Museum, told The Times earlier that the transfer of the dugout had been arranged by Dr. Clifford Carl of the Provincial Museum, who has charge of exhibits in Thunderbird Park.

HARD TO TELL

Dr. Carl conceded that actual ownership of the vessel is not easy to determine.

Mr. Mowat says he can remember when the Tilikum was donated to Victoria by Greenwich Yacht Club of London, England, and brought here free by Furness Lines steamship.

Mr. Mowat says no one but the city council has the right to move the ship. Where it was, it could be seen and enjoyed by everyone. Now it will be seen only by museum visitors, after they have paid admittance.

NO CHARGE

This point brings up another concern.

A search by the provincial library and archives staff has found nothing to show ownership except for two contrary stories. One indicates the ship was given to the city and the other says it was given to the province.

But both agree that it was given on condition that no charge ever be made for anyone to see it.

The book Western Shores, by J. H. Hamilton, writing under the pseudonym "Capt. Kettle" in 1933 says:

"The Tilikum remained in England for a number of years, having been acquired by the Greenwich Yacht Club as a treasured memento. In 1930, by the generosity of two members, an offer was made to the B.C. government to present the historic canoe for public exhibition in B.C., on the provision that no charge be made to see it."

LAW OF SEA

Another anonymous account in the archives says: "After arriving at Margate in 1904 the Tilikum

passed into the hands of E. W. and A. Byford of Greenwich Yacht Club. The owners donated her to the city of Victoria on condition that no charge be made for her display and that the city should bear the expense of her transshipment to Victoria."

Who owns Tilikum? Who knows? Perhaps if no one can prove ownership, the law of the sea takes over and she goes to whoever first gets a line on her.

But that wouldn't solve the problem of her display by admission only and the breaking of such a solemn and ancient covenant wouldn't be very British, now would it?



A SAD VIGIL is maintained by Rebel Mowat at Tilikum's last stand.

\$3 Million for Island  
On Public Works List  
\$300,000 Allotted  
DOT Central Agency

The federal government intends to spend \$3 million on public works, defence and department of transport projects on Vancouver Island in the coming fiscal year.

Roughly \$2 million will be spent in the Greater Victoria area.

The estimates, filed in the House of Commons Monday, forecast a national spending program of \$7.4 billion.

Largest single expenditure is for the previously-announced federal building at Vancouver Street and Pandora Avenue. It will house the income tax offices, national employment service and unemployment insurance offices.

GRAVING DOCK

Also in Victoria district is an outlay of \$287,000 for the Esquimalt graving dock sefer system.

To be spent for Victoria airport—\$479,000 for runway improvements plus \$175,000 to replace the marine radio station and install new equipment which would allow the control tower to keep check on a larger number of aircraft at any one time. The radio station is located at Gordon Head.

DOT AGENCY

One of the most interesting developments from the point of view of Victoria waterfront watchers is contained in an allotment of \$300,000 to create a new DOT central agency here.

This involves provision of a single wharf, shops and offices to care for all eight vessels based here by the department—three weather ships, two coast guard vessels and three light-house tenders.

TWO SITES

Two locations have been discussed, one adjacent to the British American Paint Company on Belleville and one near Colwood on Esquimalt harbor.

The inner harbor location has backing of many DOT people who would have a shorter distance to go to work. It could have the added advantage that

it would bring more shipping to downtown Victoria, which could enhance the city's tourist potential, a department spokesman thought.

He said the decision could be affected by official representations from civic officials in this area.

RADIO STATION

Elsewhere on Vancouver Island, there is a \$134,000 development, an air radio station and other improvements, for Bull Harbor near Kyuquot and \$50,000 for Kyuquot harbor improvements.

Vananda, on Texada Island, is listed for \$71,000 wharf repairs. Airport improvements at Campbell River will be allotted \$108,000 and at Port Hardy for the same purpose there is a scheduled outlay of \$292,000.

Nanaimo harbor improvements are estimated at \$50,000 with like amounts being set aside for a wharf and float at East Bamfield and harbor improvements at Kelsey Bay.

Finishing  
Touches  
Approved

City police commission today approved \$56,500 worth of finishing touches to the renovated police station in Centennial Square.

The chairman, Mayor R. B. Wilson, said the commission is "pleased monies are being made available to do the job properly and finish the building the way it should be done."

The commission approved of a city council decision to spend money in tax land sale fund to finish and furnish traffic court and magistrate's quarters, install an elevator and put a decorative screen around three walls of the police station.

In addition, Chief John Gregory was satisfied there is no security problem involved in erecting a glazed aluminum screen over the barred cell block.

Centennial Square committee members had asked his opinion, fearing that an agile accomplice of someone in jail could scale the screen to one of the windows and pass things inside.

Ask The  
Times

Q. Where can I get information on water pollution?—A.W. A. From Greater Victoria Metropolitan Board of Health, 1947 Cook St.

Q. Where can I get information on the Canadian University Services Overseas, a Canadian organization somewhat like the American Peace Corps?—D.L. A. Contact Dr. J. C. Ogelsby, Room 115, Paul Building, University of Victoria.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question along to the Times, addressed to "Ask the Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily. All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve controversies or legal problems. Nor will it attempt to put a value on old coins, stamps or antiques. These should be submitted to a dealer.



WHAT'S THIS? Mother cat and her kittens? Nothing unusual about that. But look closer. There's something different about the young cat on the left. If you think it looks like a dog, you're dead right . . . it is a dog. The odd-man-out adopted his new mother the day his own mother died. The family is presently living at Vic-

toria SPCA headquarters. But mother cat won't be keeping her family too long. When Bonzo is old enough he will return to his owner, Mrs. C. B. Jameson, 2420 Lansdowne. Kitty will just have to depend on someone taking a fancy to her. She was found straying in the Duke Road area. (Times Photo.)

Water Shortage Warning  
Given Northern Saanich

TOPICS  
of the  
DAY

Archie Wallace and Ken Oliver have been nominated vice-presidents elect of the Rotary Club of Victoria for 1965.

They will take office with president elect Jack Housez on July 1.

Other officers nominated are Neville Goss, honorary secretary and George Maycock, treasurer. Mr. Maycock who is also a club director has been treasurer for five years.

Mrs. Vivian Moore remains as executive secretary of the club.

George R. Harvey has been elected president of the Royal Canadian Legion, Esquimalt Dockyard Branch No. 172.

Other officers elected for 1965 were: Norman Davey and J. O. Osborne, vice-presidents; H. D. McIntyre, Sgt.-at-Arms; H. K. Avery, W. A. Smith, H. H. Tate, A. M. Muse, C. S. Williams, T. R. Whitley, L. E. Smith, executive committee; William Stewart, branch service officer and Archdeacon A. E. Hendy, branch padre.

St. Joseph's Hospital staff will attend a series of demonstrations and lectures this week to train for firefighting and evacuation of patients in case of fire.

Allan Regan, 1325 Kings Road, earlier convicted of impaired driving, was fined \$350 in city court this morning.

Magistrate William Ostler allowed him to keep his licence on condition he drives only on business for four months.

A 21-year-old man pleaded guilty in Saanich court today to what Magistrate William Ostler called "a mean and nasty little theft."

Arthur Hawes, 3533 Saanich Road, stole \$2.75 from Loomer Lanes Saturday. Evidence was that he kept score for some youngsters at the bowling alley.

He took their score card and 55 cents payment from each of them but only turned in the score. Police said all but 10 cents of the money was recovered.

Hawes was remanded in custody to March 30 for sentence.

A serious shortage of water will face the whole of the north Saanich peninsula, including Central Saanich, within three years.

This warning was sounded today by Central Saanich Reeve R. Gordon Lee and the Sidney Waterworks District.

Both are concerned at the pressure being exerted on the provincial government to permit the establishment of large subdivisions in the unorganized district of North Saanich.

"Establishment of any large subdivision could aggravate the water problem much sooner," said Reeve Lee. "There's a limit to our water supply."

With the exceptions of Sidney and Brentwood, Central Saanich, from its Elk Lake water system, provides the whole of North Saanich with water.

Sidney and Brentwood draws its water from wells.

A spokesman for the Sidney Waterworks District said two additional wells are now being sunk to provide additional water for Sidney.

"Even with these extra wells we expect a water problem this

summer," he said. "We will have to rely on Central Saanich water to make up the shortage."

(Sidney has an understanding with Central Saanich that it will supply the village with water if it runs short.)

Reeve Lee said the Elk Lake water system will supply Sidney with water as long as it is possible.

"But if Sidney continues to expand as it is now, it won't be long before there won't be enough water to go around," he said. "The way the area around Deep Cove is also expanding, is likely to aggravate the problem."

LOCAL NEWS

The Brentwood water district feels it has sufficient water to look after local needs for at least three years. This would depend on the growth of the population in the district.

What is concerning waterworks experts is the drop of the water table in the Saanich peninsula. This means that wells have to be dug deeper. In some areas, wells dry up in mid-summer.

REFERENDUMS ALLOWED BY AMENDMENT

Mini-Metro Modification Lauded

Mini-metro was modified Monday night as Municipal Affairs Minister Dan Campbell bowed to mounting criticism.

The move was greeted today by Reeve Hugh Curtis of Saanich and Reeve Allan Cox of Oak Bay, previous critics of the bill.

But Mayor R. B. Wilson, previously warm to the joint services bill, was non-committal.

The modification came in the form of an amendment in the legislature to Bill 83 which permits creation of regional district boards to handle inter-municipal problems.

The original bill was criticized because it provided no specific method for municipalities to "opt out" of arrangements initiated by the minister.

REFERENDUMS

The changes permit councils to hold ratepayer referendums within 60 days of the minister making his recommendation on which functions a particular regional board should undertake.

This would allow ratepayers to decide which functions their municipality would participate in as part of a regional district. Reeve Cox called the changes "very sensible."

"It would appear to do away with objections because it puts democracy back in the hands of ratepayers and it takes the onus off councils for making decisions."

"I think this is desirable. I don't think councils have a clear mandate to delegate powers to someone else."

Reeve Curtis was more cautious in his approval.

"It meets some of the criticism, I'm pleased—it's something."

At Saanich council Monday night, the original bill came under heavy fire.

Councillors unanimously approved a motion voicing vigorous opposition to the bill without much more consideration being given it.

The bill was called "sick legislation," "a real dictator-

ship" and a threat to every person in the province.

Reeve Curtis said there was general approval of joint services plans when municipalities could opt in, but the legislation reversed this.

Coun. Ed Lum said the minister may amalgamate any area he pleases without the residents of that area having any vote on the subject.

Councillors criticized powers for regional districts to borrow money without ratepayer approval.

PLANS



IT'S AFTER ME!



SAVE ME, CHARLIE BROWN!



I NEVER DREAMED THAT





## DOWN IN ATLANTIC 85 MILES OFF TARGET

# U.S. Space Duo Land Safely

## Manoeuvre Ship During 3 Orbits

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — A helicopter picked astronauts Virgil Grissom and John Young out of the Atlantic Ocean today and landed them safely on the deck of the U.S. aircraft carrier Intrepid. Grissom stepped from the helicopter to the deck of the ship with a broad smile on his face. John Young followed quickly.

CAPE KENNEDY (AP) — The daring U.S. space twins, Virgil Grissom and John Young, flew the world's first manoeuvrable manned spaceship three times around the earth today, but mission control said they missed their main target by about 85 miles when the capsule parachuted into the Atlantic Ocean.

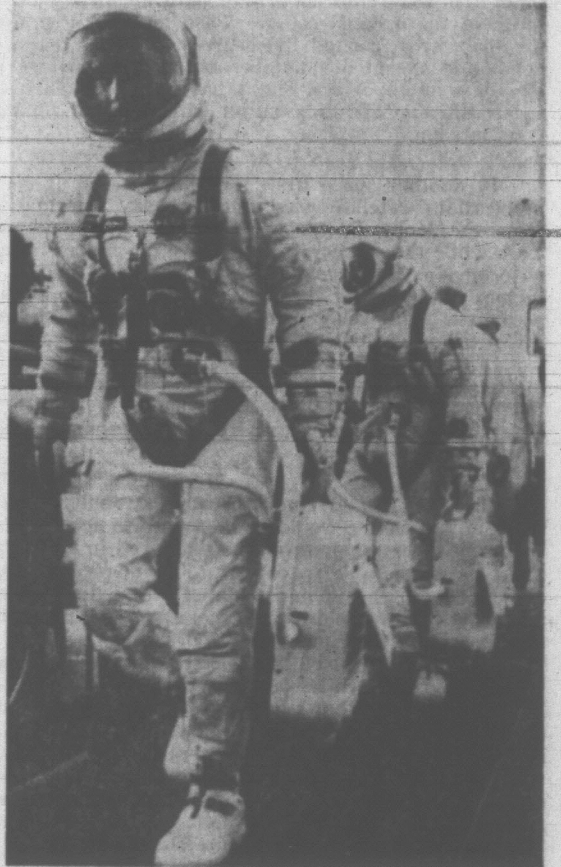
Aircraft sighted the capsule floating in the water. One of the planes dropped para-rescue divers and they swam towards the vehicle to secure it with a flotation collar.

Mission control reported the time of the splash-down at 2:18 p.m. EST (11:18 a.m. PST).

At 2:43 p.m., mission control reported that the flotation collar had been fitted around the spacecraft and swimmers were deployed around the spacecraft.

Astronauts Grissom and Young reported by radio that they were in good shape after the landing.

The astronauts opened the hatches and aircraft flying overhead said they were giving the thumbs-up signal.



U.S. SPACE MEN John W. Young (front) and Virgil I. Grissom carry portable air conditioning units to elevator before being launched into orbit today. (AP Wirephoto.)

## RANGER COURSE CORRECTED

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — A small steering rocket ignited briefly aboard Ranger IX today, correcting the camera-carrying spacecraft to a course that hopefully will send it hurtling to its death into a moon crater.

A spokesman for Jet Propulsion Laboratory said the U.S. spacecraft acknowledged a ground signal and "apparently executed the command." But scientists say they would not know for certain whether the manoeuvre was successful for at least 10 hours.

## New Weapons Raise Danger, Wilson Warns

LONDON (Reuters) — Prime Minister Wilson told Parliament today the introduction of any new weapons in Viet Nam or extension of the anti-Communist war there carries with it "greater danger," but he refused to condemn the use of non-lethal gas.

He made it clear Britain is against any extension of the Viet Nam war but said as far as he knows only tear gas has been used against the Communist guerrillas in South Viet Nam and this is not against international conventions.

"But," he added, "any bringing in of new weapons—any extension of the war in any way... carries with it all the time greater danger."

He said Britain seeks elucidation of a statement attributed to U.S. ambassador to South Viet Nam, Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, that there are no limits to expansion of the war in Viet Nam.

Wilson said: "I think this goes considerably further than anything I have told the House. I think one must be concerned to find out what the facts are."

Wilson's carefully worded answers to a hushed House of Commons were to a series of questions chiefly from his own supporters, nearly 60 of whom.

## U.S. Digging 'Own Pit' In Viet Nam

MOSCOW (CP) — Leonid Brezhnev said today that the Soviet Union is "already taking the necessary measures of assistance to strengthen the defensive potential" of North Viet Nam.

The Soviet Communist party chief told a Red Square crowd welcoming the Soviet Union's two new cosmonauts:

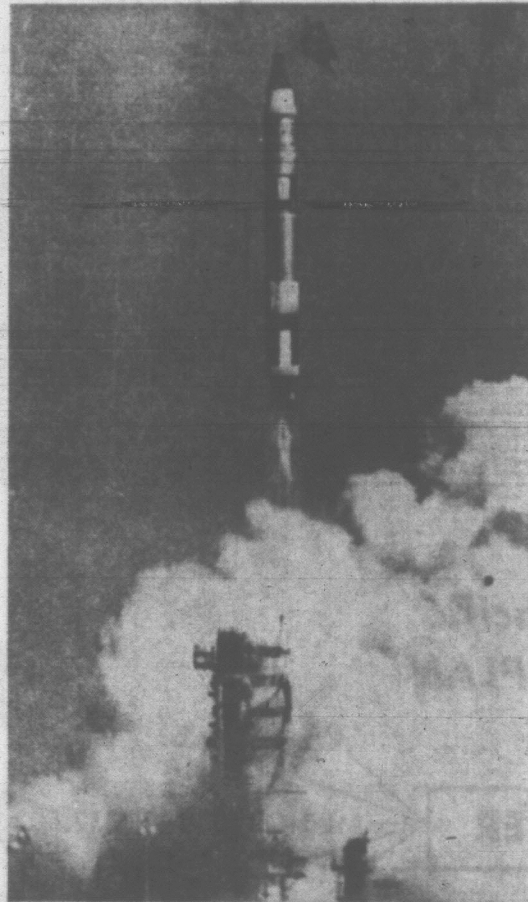
"If the American aggressors hope that time will pass and their actions in Viet Nam will be forgotten, that time will wash away the disgrace of their crimes, they are deeply mistaken."

"We are warning the aggressors: by your criminal actions you are digging such a pit beneath your feet from which you then may not be able to get out."

He added that the Soviet government was receiving many applications from Soviet citizens "expressing their readiness to take part in the Vietnamese people's struggle for freedom and independence."

## Convoys Hit

SAIGON (AP) — Eight South Vietnamese fighter-bombers knocked out a radar station and hit military road convoys in North Viet Nam today, a South Vietnamese military spokesman announced.



BLASTING OFF at start of three-orbit trip around world are United States astronauts Virgil I. Grissom and John W. Young in nose cone (arrow) in first two-man space launching by U.S. (AP Wirephoto.)

## VOICE FROM MOLLY:

# 'Yeah, Man... Oh It's Spectacular'

The Molly Brown, calling earth... speaking from space...

Seventeen seconds after lift-off, Astronaut L. Gordon Cooper on the ground, advises: "You're on your way, Molly Brown!"

Command pilot Gus Grissom, the laconic voice of Molly Brown: "Yeah, man... oh, man!"

Now it's over Australia, at T-plus-56: "I can see very clearly the lights of Perth."

Query from astronaut Charles (Pete) Conrad at Carnarvon, Australia, tracking station: "What is the suit temperature?"

Grissom: "Fifty-four degrees."

Swinging into the second orbit...

Cooper, the communicator at Cape Kennedy: "Pretty spectacular up there, huh?"

Grissom: "Say again?"

Cooper: "Pretty spectacular up there, eh?"

Grissom: "Yeah, it really is... it really is!"

About the view from the west coast: "What did you see?"

Grissom: "We could see southern California—and Arizona, I guess."

That's about it. (Cloudy).

The weather:

Query from the ground at T-plus-3:49 as the Molly Brown is just south of Jackson, Miss.:

"How's the weather in general—around the world?"

"Very cloudy."

"I see—all you see is clouds and water, huh?"

"Yeah."

Approaching Bermuda at E-plus-3:16, discussing a small difficulty, Grissom said: "The spacecraft does seem to have a small leak in the yaw thruster."

Later the astronauts were picked up by a helicopter for the flight to the aircraft carrier Intrepid, reported 40 miles from the site and speeding in that direction.

The pulsating flight, in which the astronauts flew their space chariot backwards, forwards, sideways and upside down—and executed the first orbital shifts ever made by a manned space vehicle—was an effective rehearsal for long-duration and rendezvous flights planned in the two-man Gemini program in the next few months.

Grissom, 38-year-old air force major who became the first man to rocket twice into space, and Young, 34-year-old navy lieutenant-commander, were in the air four hours 54 minutes in a flight that covered more than 81,000 miles.

In what was described as a "textbook flight," they experienced only a few minor technical difficulties.

Grissom reported that the Molly Brown responded well to his control and he was able to manoeuvre it with ease.

From the moment of orbital insertion until landing, the spacecraft was flown manually and did not rely on automatic equipment as did the one-man mercury capsules.

Young, a fledgling spaceman, took over the controls for the first time during the third orbit, flying it for some 20 minutes.

Then the veteran Grissom resumed control and guided the Molly Brown to the parachute landing.

Grissom operated the jets that thrust the capsule into a nearly circular orbit ranging from 97 to 105 miles high.

A Titan II rocket had originally launched the craft, officially called Gemini III, into an orbit with a high point of 140 miles and a low of 100 miles.

Ability to manoeuvre a spacecraft is essential before space rendezvous—and flight onward to the moon—can be accomplished. A series of 10 Gemini flights will be followed by the Apollo moon program.

The Molly Brown was named by the astronauts after the musical, The Unsinkable Molly Brown—an

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## BID REJECTED

# PM Not Going To Bribe Probe

OTTAWA (CP) — Chief Justice Frederic Dorian today rejected a motion by three opposition parties that Prime Minister Pearson be summoned as a witness before his inquiry into alleged attempted bribery and influence-peddling by ministerial aides.

The judge said he couldn't see how testimony by the prime minister would supply his commission with "any useful information."

He said that throughout the inquiry he has felt that if any person, no matter how high his position in government or elsewhere, could not enlighten the commission there was no point in summoning him.

Ross Drouin, Conservative party-counsel, had remarked that Mr. Pearson would be called as a witness immediately if he were not the prime minister.

Chief Justice Dorian said he wonders whether the commission has the right to go into the relationships between members of the Cabinet.

He said he doesn't know whether there must be constant

## WIRE BRIEFS

### Deadline Extended

OTTAWA (CP) — Extension of the deadline for the \$500 winter housebuilding bonus to April 15 from March 31 was announced in the Commons today by Labor Minister MacEachen.

### Formula Approved

CHARLOTTETOWN (CP) — The Prince Edward Island legislature unanimously approved today the proposed formula to amend the Canadian constitution.

### Rail Bridge Burned

KAMLOOPS (CP) — Fire destroyed an 85-foot railway bridge about 56 miles east of here early this morning, delaying Canadian National Railway trains about seven hours.

# SCIENTIST TO KENNEDY: 'BOY, DO I ENVY YOU'

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (AP) — Cheered by forecasts of continued good weather, the Mount Kennedy climbing party faced today the first step in the ascent of the 13,900-foot mountain, highest unclimbed peak in North America.

Senator Robert F. Kennedy and the other expedition members spent the night at a base camp on Hyannis Port Glacier, which they named after Kennedy's arrival Monday afternoon. The Kennedy family has a home at Hyannis Port, Mass.

The climbers plan to reach a second base camp and spend the night after their first day up the mountain, named by the Canadian government for the U.S. senator's slain brother.

President John F. Kennedy. The sun was shining brightly as the party flew Monday to the camp from Whitehorse in an RCAF helicopter.

The weather office said the wind is not expected to exceed 20-30 miles an hour, and the temperature should not be below zero.

James W. Whittaker of Seattle, leader of the expedition and the first American to scale Mount Everest, had predicted they might encounter fierce wind and temperatures around 40 below zero.

Whittaker has said the party could be back in two or three days, if the weather remains good.

Kennedy, Whittaker and Dr. Bradford Washburn, scientific leader of the expedition and

director of Boston Museum, flew Monday from Seattle to Juneau, Alaska, by airliner, and from there to Whitehorse by chartered plane.

A big two-rotor helicopter took them to the 8,500-foot base camp, where Kennedy pitched in with the others to shovel snow and haul on a rope to free a ski-equipped airplane, chartered by reporters, which got stuck.

Washburn, who headed a 1935 expedition that first explored the area, returned to Whitehorse in the helicopter after telling Kennedy and Whittaker: "Boy, do I envy you."

The expedition is sponsored by the National Geographic Society and the Boston Museum, its principal object being to map the mountain and the surrounding peaks and glaciers more thoroughly.

Only Canadian in the eight-man climbing party is James Craig, 40, a Vancouver lawyer and veteran mountaineer.

Others in the party are Barry Prather, Ellensburg, Wash.; Dee Molenaar, Olympia, Wash.; William Prater, Ellensburg; George Senner, Seattle, and William Allard, photographer for the National Geographic Society.



PITCHING IN to help free a ski plane chartered by reporters at base camp were Senator Robert Kennedy and expedition leader Jim Whittaker. Sen. Kennedy hopes to climb the mountain named after his brother, assassinated U.S. president, John F. Kennedy. (AP Wirephoto.)

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## HUTCHISON SERIES—PAGE 4

Mr. Pearson's intended French-Canadian lieutenants have lost the confidence of Quebec, as well as of the rest of Canada.

Whom will he now choose to replace Mr. Lamontagne and Mr. Favreau and restore the necessary bi-racial flavor to the Liberal leadership?

On page 4 today Bruce Hutchison takes a look behind the scenes at the national capital to see what is developing.



Thet Viet Nam gas calls fer th' winds of change.

It's significant thet th' fast space vehicle t' be steered had room fer a back-seat driver.

Th' aim o' space travel seems t' be t' go farther faster t' git back closest t' where y' wuz.



## SPACE

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allusion to Grissom's first spaceship, which sank in the Atlantic Ocean after a return from a sub-orbital flight. While President Johnson and others watched on television, the Titan thundered into the skies at 9:24 a.m. EST (6:24 a.m. PST.)

Before the first orbit was completed, the mission control centre gave the green light for a second orbit, they okayed a third.

The drop in orbital altitude was not a sudden thing. As the thruster jets fired for 77 seconds, the spacecraft moved gradually into its new path as it sailed over Georgia at about 17,400 miles an hour.

Midway through the second orbit, Grissom conducted another space craft manoeuvre which will be important to future rendezvous flights. He twisted the capsule around 90 degrees so it was flying sideways and pointing south.

Then he fired his forward jets for 15 seconds to shoot the craft onto an orbital path about 1 1/2 miles south of the original course. Then he quickly turned the space craft around 180 degrees so it was pointing north and executed a number of rapid jet firings to stimulate action which might have to be taken as a spacecraft approaches a target satellite on a rendezvous mission.

In another space first, the U.S. Syncom II communications satellite was used to relay information from the Molly Brown to the ground tracking network while the spacecraft flew above the Indian Ocean on orbit No. 2. Syncom II, which had been used as a backup relay during the early portions of the flight, became a main relay point when a tracking station in Australia was cut off briefly from communications.

During orbit No. 3, Grissom fired the jets again to drop the low point of the orbit to 52 miles—an altitude that would allow the spacecraft to be automatically drawn back to earth by gravity and atmospheric friction.

This step would eliminate any possibility that Grissom and Young would be marooned in space.

Only three minor problems developed in this first flight by a steerable spacecraft. Two involved a secondary electronic system associated with a thruster jet and a slight pressure drop in a fuel system. Both problems corrected themselves in a short time.

The other involved the blood pressure cuff on Grissom's arm which he said he was unable to operate.

Grissom and Young had to remain in the capsule only 23 minutes longer than originally planned as the launch crew went through a near-perfect countdown.

Thousands watched the launch from the beaches around this spaceport. More watched on television. Among them were President Johnson, who witnessed the spectacle on TV at the White House.

Others included Barbara Young and Betty Grissom, wives of the Gemini pilots, at their homes in Houston, Tex. Both arose before dawn to begin the tense vigil.

Grissom and Young are the 18th and 19th persons and the seventh and eight Americans to fly into space. Russia has orbited 10 men and one woman.

Three Russian cosmonauts went aloft in the Voskhod I last Oct. 16 in the first multi-manned flight. Just five days ago, two more Russians shot into orbit and one of them stepped outside the capsule in a historic space feat.

Aboard the spacecraft were sea urchin eggs, sent aloft to determine effect of weightlessness on simple living tissue. Another experiment was with human blood to determine effects of combination of weightlessness and radiation on blood.



FULTON  
no comment

## Students Hit Secret Meet With Fulton

By CANDIDE TEMPLE  
A brief student demonstration Monday protested a Uvic appearance by British Columbia Conservative leader E. Davie Fulton.

The protest started when Mr. Fulton spoke only to a closed meeting of university Conservatives in the Student Union Building.

Reporters of the university newspaper Martlet were asked to leave. Soon after students appeared with placards objecting to this procedure.

Paul Williamson, president of the students' council, said if the meeting was to be closed to students generally, then it should not have taken place in the Student Union Building but in a private home.

Adrienne Effelmont, president of the Uvic Conservative Club, said the protest was "embarrassing to me, to the club and to Mr. Fulton."

A news leak from the closed meeting quoted Mr. Fulton as stating, "I want to go back to federal politics because I feel that is where I belong."

But in an interview later he refused to comment on the question.

Mr. Fulton, a former justice minister in the Diefenbaker government, has often been mentioned as a possible candidate for the prime minister's job in a new Tory government, if Mr. Diefenbaker is displaced as national leader.

Mr. Fulton would not comment either on the chances of an early federal election. "I have been wrong too often before," he said.

## QOR All Packed For Cyprus Trip

The 99-member advance party of First Battalion, Queen's Own Rifles, was all packed and ready to roll for Cyprus by 8 a.m. today.

They will leave at 9 p.m. to night aboard an RCAF Yukon aircraft from the navy's VU-33 utility squadron at Patricia Bay airport.

A cabinet order sending the QORs to maintain Canada's peacekeeping role on the island came Monday afternoon. Each infantry man is permitted a total of 150 pounds equipment—harrack box, kit bag, large pack and FN rifle.

The soldiers will report to Work Point Barracks, Esquimalt, at 6:30 p.m. From there they will go to Pat Bay to embark on their 18-hour flight. The airlift includes refueling stops at Trenton, Ont., and

Marville, France, before landing in Nicosia. The flight is 6,000 air miles long.

**NIGHTLY FLIGHTS**  
Remainder of the 729-member battalion will be transported in a succession of nightly flights beginning April 1.

Joining the advance party will be units of the Royal Canadian Dragoons from Camp Gagetown, N.B.

The RCDs and QORs will comprise a force of 875 men to replace some 1,000 Canadians now on Cyprus.

The tour of duty is expected to last six months, depending on the UN mandate which was renewed for three months Friday, effective March 26.

The mandate comes up for renewal again June 26.

Returning troops will start arriving at their homes in mid-April. They are First Battalion, Canadian Guards, Picton, Ont., and a reconnaissance squadron, Lord Strathcona's Horse of Calgary.

The soldiers will be wearing the blue berets of the United Nations and flying the blue UN flag during their stay in a 350-mile area in northern Cyprus.



**MEASURES** to implement President Johnson's attack on U.S. crime were proposed Monday by Sen. Thomas Dodd, D-Conn. He would stop mail order sales to individuals of all firearms from small calibre pistols to anti-tank guns and bazookas.

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## Pat Bay Four-Laner May Come This Year

Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi's plan for a \$2 million widening of Patricia Bay Highway this year may grow into full-scale redevelopment of the route.

Mr. Gagliardi Monday said he had sent a request to Ottawa that it share half the cost of "any work done on improving Pat Bay Highway this year."

He said if the federal government did share in the cost, the project would involve "a permanent improvement."

Mr. Gagliardi declined to say whether this meant a new divided four-lane route would be started this year.

However, in his earlier announcement at this session of the legislature, he said the \$2 million widening project would not be the permanent solution because in about five years' time a new route would have to be built to provide four lanes with a dividing strip.

In Ottawa, the House of Commons was told that the B.C. request is being considered by the public works department.

David Groos (Lib.—Victoria) raised the matter during a debate and said the highway would cost \$9.5 million to widen.

**A WORD TO THE WISE**  
Carbon tetrachloride "is a poison so vicious it should be banned," says a New York poison expert. Many types of do-it-yourself dry-cleaner can be found which do not contain carbon tet.

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## DORION

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communication among members of the Cabinet. Even if there were, it was a matter for "internal administration."

The motion that Mr. Pearson be called was advanced by Paul Jolin, New Democratic Party counsel, and supported by Mr. Drouin and Francois Even, Creditiste lawyer.

### OPPOSE MOTION

The motion was opposed by Jules Deschenes, federal government counsel, Gilles Godin, counsel for Andre Letendre, an aide to Justice Minister Favreau, and Francois Chapados, counsel for Liberal organizer Guy Masson.

Mr. Deschenes maintained that any conversations between Mr. Pearson and Mr. Favreau in the case were privileged. Members of the Cabinet were bound by their oath of office and the commission would not be legally justified in calling Mr. Pearson.

Mr. Deschenes said Mr. Jolin's motion was at least premature until Mr. Favreau had appeared.

Argument on the motion, which delayed the inquiry's proceedings, resumed today after a two-week break.

Mr. Jolin said it is essential to give Mr. Pearson an opportunity to explain to the inquiry a letter he submitted last Dec.

cember referring to the date on which he was advised of RCMP investigations into charges of attempted bribery and coercion by aides to federal cabinet ministers.

He noted that Mr. Pearson told the Commons last November he had been made aware of the investigation only a day or two before but his December letter said he had been advised of it on Sept. 2.

### EXPLANATION USUAL

Mr. Jolin said that it is customary when such a document is submitted to swear in the author and have him explain it.

He also said that he thinks it essential that Mr. Pearson tell the commission how he was informed of the investigation and by whom and what instructions were issued by the prime minister particularly since Mr. Pearson's former parliamentary secretary, Liberal MP Guy Rouleau, was involved.

Mr. Jolin said the public has a right to know what Mr. Pearson's conduct was after he had been informed, adding that surely the prime minister conferred with Justice Minister Favreau and gave him impressions and instructions.

He recalled that Mr. Pearson has already told the Commons that he was prepared to testify if Chief Justice Frederic Dorion invited him to do so.

## WILSON

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expressed "horror and indignation" at United States policy in a cable sent to British Foreign Secretary Michael Stewart in Washington Monday night.

U.S. — supplied South Vietnamese forces have used non-lethal gas against Communists.

The prime minister carefully avoided antagonizing his own left wing or upsetting the U.S., whose policy in Viet Nam his administration has supported.

Wilson told the House Britain had not been told in advance that napalm bombs or gas would be used in Viet Nam.

Conservative Opposition Leader Sir Alec Douglas-Home agreed with the prime minister when he said at the outset that he would prefer to say little about Viet Nam pending the outcome of Stewart's current talks with U.S. President Johnson and state secretary Dean Rusk.

Wilson disclosed that Britain is determined to go ahead on its own initiative to see whether it could help to bring peace to Viet Nam.

Stewart has told U.S. State Secretary Dean Rusk the Soviet Union wants to stay aloof from the Viet Nam war.

Britain's new foreign policy chief was expected to give the

same report to President Johnson today when he called at the White House.

The rigidly negative Soviet attitude on Viet Nam was conveyed in London by Andrei Gromyko, Russia's foreign minister.

The Soviet position does not offer any latitude for diplomatic manoeuvres, Stewart was reported as having told Rusk.

This frustrates British hopes to bring about a negotiated peace with Moscow's help.

Moscow radio led off an expected barrage from Communist capitals with a broadcast accusing the United States of "using increasingly barbarous methods—in particular waging chemical warfare" in Viet Nam.

In Paris, the influential evening newspaper Le Monde takes issue with an unidentified U.S. officer who was quoted as saying one problem is to accustom the public to the idea of employing non-lethal gases.

"The problem is not to accustom the public to this idea but to speak up against the use of methods of warfare even more criticizable than others," Le Monde says. "The Americans now will be badly placed to denounce the forms (of warfare) taken by the campaign of the Viet Cong."



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ided  $\frac{1}{4}$  and Price Bros.  
ropped  $\frac{1}{8}$ .

In food and beverages, Molson added 1½ points to 39½. In base metal issues, International Nickel added ½ and oranda dropped ½. In the primaries, Aluminum dropped ½. Among speculative mines, Gundy Explorations added 1½ points to 34. Kodiak Pete was down 10c to \$1.80.

**AT LONDON** the stock market generally maintained a good tone today although some of the industrials were a little slow their best.

Buying interest was selective, and gifts occasionally railed from recent dullness.

Dollar stocks were irregular. Canadian issues were inclined to ease and among those decline slightly were Abitibi, Inco, Aluminum, Hudson's Bay Oil and Gas, Massey-Ferguson.

son, Noranda and Trans-Canada Pipe. Small rises were

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## THEFT, PIRACY CHARGES STUDIED

### Legal Squall Hits Tilikum; Rebel at Helm

By PETE LOUDON  
Storm warnings were issued today for those who sailed off with the famous dugout Tilikum last week. G. R. "Rebel" Mowat, a tour bus operator, has applied

to lay charges against the trucking firm which carried her from Thunderbird Park to the new Maritime Museum.

And research suggests that if the ship is displayed there,

where an admission fee is charged, "Victoria" will be shattering a trust imposed 35 years ago.

This new chapter in the history of the 105-year-old vessel which all but girdled

## ADMISSION FEE BREAKS TRUST

the globe in the early 1900s is still unfolding—but this much is known today:

Last Tuesday a low-bed trailer raised the three-ton Tilikum from her cement berth in the provincially-owned park at Bellevue, and Douglas carried her to the old courthouse on Bastion Square where the Maritime Museum is opening this fall.

Mr. Mowat took offence. He said Tilikum was donated to the city in 1930 and without permission of the city, it could not be legally moved.

### THEFT, PIRACY

Monday, apprised of the fact that Victoria city had not been consulted, he visited city prosecutor Peter Birkett and asked that a charge of theft or piracy be laid against Victoria Van and Storage Company which moved the vessel.

"I talked to several policemen and detectives Saturday, but they would not lay a charge and said I would have to see the prosecutor," said Mr. Mowat.

### 'MISUNDERSTANDING'

Mr. Birkett told The Times today, "We'll look into it. There may be an explanation. All I am concerned with is the possibility of criminal charges. This seems to be a misunderstanding."

"I told Mr. Mowat we'd have to hold an investigation before charges could be laid," said Mr. Birkett.

Col. J. W. D. Symons, director of the Maritime Museum, told the Times earlier that the transfer of the dugout had been arranged by Dr. Clifford Carl of the Provincial Museum, who has charge of exhibits in Thunderbird Park.

### HARD TO TELL

Dr. Carl conceded that actual ownership of the vessel is not easy to determine.

Mr. Mowat says he can remember when the Tilikum was donated to Victoria by Greenwich Yacht Club of London, England, and brought here free by Furness Lines steamship.

Mr. Mowat says no one but the city council has the right to move the ship. Where it was, it could be seen and enjoyed by everyone. Now it will be seen only by museum visitors, after they had paid admittance.

### NO CHARGE

"This point brings up another concern."

A search by the provincial library and archives staff has found nothing to show ownership except for two contrary stories. One indicates the ship was given to the city and the other says it was given to the province.

But both agree that it was given on condition that no charge ever be made for anyone to see it.

The book Western Shores, by J. H. Hamilton, writing under the pseudonym "Capt. Kettle" in 1933 says:

"The Tilikum remained in England for a number of years, having been acquired by the Greenwich Yacht Club as a treasured memento. In 1930, by the generosity of two members, an offer was made to the B.C. government to present the historic canoe for public exhibition in B.C., on the provision that no charge be made to see it."

### LAW OF SEA

Another anonymous account in the archives says:

"After arriving at Margate in 1904 the Tilikum

passed into the hands of E. W. and A. Byford of Greenwich Yacht Club. The owners donated her to the city of Victoria on condition that no charge be made for her display and that the city should bear the expense of her transshipment to Victoria."

Who owns Tilikum? Who knows? Perhaps if no one can prove ownership, the law of the sea takes over and she goes to whoever first gets a line on her.

But that wouldn't solve the problem of her display by admission only and the breaking of such a solemn and ancient covenant wouldn't be very British, now would it?



A SAD VIGIL is maintained by Rebel Mowat at Tilikum's last stand.

## \$3 Million for Island On Public Works List

### \$300,000 Allotted DOT Central Agency

The federal government intends to spend \$3 million on public works, defence and department of transport projects on Vancouver Island in the coming fiscal year.

Roughly \$2 million will be spent in the Greater Victoria area.

The estimates, filed in the House of Commons Monday, forecast a national spending program of \$7.4 billion.

Largest single expenditure is for the previously-announced federal building at Vancouver Street and Pandora Avenue. It will house the income tax offices, national employment service and unemployment insurance offices. Cost: \$800,000.

### GRAVING DOCK

Also in Victoria district is an outlay of \$287,000 for the Esquimalt graving dock sewer system.

To be spent for Victoria airport—\$479,000 for runway improvements plus \$175,000 to replace the marine radio station and install new equipment which would allow the control tower to keep check on a larger number of aircraft at any one time. The radio station is located at Gordon Head.

### DOT AGENCY

One of the most interesting developments from the point of view of Victoria waterfront watchers is contained in an allotment of \$300,000 to create a new DOT central agency here. This involves provision of a single wharf, shops and offices to care for all eight vessels based here by the department—three weather ships, two coast guard vessels and three light-house tenders.

### TWO SITES

Two locations have been discussed, one adjacent to the British American Paint Company on Belleville and one near Colwood on Esquimalt harbor.

The latter harbor location has backing of many DOT people who would have a shorter distance to go to work. It could have the added advantage that

it would bring more shipping to downtown Victoria, which could enhance the city's tourist potential, a department spokesman thought.

He said the decision could be affected by official representations from civic officials in this area.

### RADIO STATION

Elsewhere on Vancouver Island there is a \$154,000 development, an air radio station and other improvements, for Bull Harbor near Kyuquot and \$50,000 for Kyuquot harbor improvements.

Vananda, on Texada Island, is listed for \$71,000 wharf repairs. Airport improvements at Campbell River will be allotted \$108,000 and at Port Hardy for the same purpose there is a scheduled outlay of \$292,000.

Nanaimo harbor improvements are estimated at \$50,000 with like amounts being set aside for a wharf and float at East Bamfield and harbor improvements at Kelsey Bay.

## Finishing Touches Approved

City police commission today approved \$56,500 worth of finishing touches to the renovated police station in Centennial Square.

The chairman, Mayor R. B. Wilson, said the commission is "pleased monies are being made available to do the job properly and finish the building the way it should be done."

The commission approved of a city council decision to spend money in tax land sale fund to finish and furnish traffic court and magistrate's quarters, install an elevator and put a decorative screen around three walls of the police station.

In addition, Chief John Gregory was satisfied there is no security problem involved in erecting a glazed aluminum screen over the barred cell block.

Centennial Square committee members had asked his opinion, fearing that an agile accomplice of someone in jail could scale the screen to one of the windows and pass things inside.

## Ask The Times

Q. Where can I get information on water pollution?—A.W. A. From Greater Victoria Metropolitan Board of Health, 1947 Cook St.

Q. Where can I get information on the Canadian Universities Services Overseas, a Canadian organization somewhat like the American Peace Corps?—D.L.

A. Contact Dr. J. C. Ogilby, Room 115, Paul Building, University of Victoria.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question along to the Times, addressed to "Ask the Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve controversies or legal problems. Nor will it attempt to put a value on old coins, stamps or antiques. These should be submitted to a dealer.



**WHAT'S THIS?** Mother cat and her kittens? Nothing unusual about that. But look closer. There's something different about the young cat on the left. If you think it looks like a dog, you're dead right . . . it is a dog. The odd-man-out adopted his new mother the day his own mother died. The family is presently living at Vic-

toria SPCA headquarters. But mother cat won't be keeping her family too long. When Bonzo is old enough he will return to his owner, Mrs. C. B. Jameson, 2420 Lansdowne. Kitty will just have to depend on someone taking a fancy to her. She was found straying in the Duke Road area. (Times Photo.)

## Water Shortage Warning Given Northern Saanich

### TOPICS of the DAY

Bob Wallace and Ken Oliver have been nominated vice-presidents elect of the Rotary Club of Victoria for 1965.

They will take office with president elect Jack House on July 1.

Other officers nominated are Neville Goss, honorary secretary and George Maycock, treasurer. Mr. Maycock who is also a club director has been treasurer for five years.

Mrs. Vivian Moore remains as executive secretary of the club.

George R. Harvey has been elected president of the Royal Canadian Legion, Esquimalt Dockyard Branch No. 172.

Other officers elected for 1965 were: Norman Davey and H. O. Osborne, vice-presidents; J. D. McIntyre, sgt.-at-arms; H. K. Avery, W. A. Smith, H. H. Tate, A. M. Muse, C. S. Williams, T. R. Whitley, L. E. Smith, executive committee; William Stewart, branch service officer and Archdeacon A. E. Hendy, branch padre.

St. Joseph's Hospital staff will attend a series of demonstrations and lectures this week to train for firefighting and evacuation of patients in case of fire.

Allan Regan, 1325 Kings Road, earlier convicted of impaired driving, was fined \$350 in city court this morning.

Magistrate William Ostler allowed him to keep his licence on condition he drives only on business for four months.

A 21-year-old man pleaded guilty in Saanich court today to what Magistrate William Ostler called "a mean and nasty little theft."

Arthur Hawes, 3533 Saanich Road, stole \$2.75 from Loomer Jones Saturday. Evidence was that he kept score for some youngsters at the bowling alley. He took their score card and 55 cents payment from each of them but only turned in the score. Police said all but 10 cents of the money was recovered.

Hawes was remanded in custody to March 30 for sentence.

A serious shortage of water will face the whole of the northern Saanich peninsula, including Central Saanich, within three years.

This warning was sounded today by Central Saanich Reeve R. Gordon Lee and the Sidney Waterworks District.

Both are concerned at the pressure being exerted on the provincial government to permit the establishment of large subdivisions in the unorganized district of North Saanich.

"Establishment of any large subdivision could aggravate the water problem much sooner," said Reeve Lee. "There's a limit to our water supply."

With the exceptions of Sidney and Brentwood, Central Saanich, from its Elk Lake water system, provides the whole of North Saanich with water.

Sidney and Brentwood draws its water from wells.

A spokesman for the Sidney Waterworks District said two additional wells are now being sunk to provide additional water for Sidney.

"Even with these extra wells we expect a water problem this

summer," he said. "We will have to rely on Central Saanich water to make up the shortage."

(Sidney has an understanding with Central Saanich that it will supply the village with water if it runs short.)

Reeve Lee said the Elk Lake water system will supply Sidney with water as long as it is possible.

"But if Sidney continues to expand as it is now, it won't be long before there won't be enough water to go around," he said. "The way the area around Deep Cove is also expanding, is likely to aggravate the problem."

### LOCAL NEEDS

The Brentwood water district feels it has sufficient water to look after local needs for at least three years. This would depend on the growth of the population in the district.

What is concerning waterworks experts is the drop of the water table in the Saanich peninsula. This means that wells have to be dug deeper. In some areas, wells dry up in mid-summer.

## REFERENDUMS ALLOWED BY AMENDMENT

### Mini-Metro Modification Lauded

Mini-metro was modified Monday night as Municipal Affairs Minister Dan Campbell bowed to mounting criticism.

The move was greeted today by Reeve Hugh Curtis of Saanich and Reeve Allan Cox of Oak Bay, previous critics of the bill.

But Mayor R. B. Wilson, previously warm to the joint services bill, was non-committal.

The modification came in the form of an amendment in the legislature to Bill 83 which permits creation of regional district boards to handle inter-municipal problems.

The original bill was criticized because it provided no specific method for municipalities to "opt out" of arrangements initiated by the minister.

### REFERENDUMS

The changes permit councils to hold ratepayer referendums within 60 days of the minister making his recommendation on which functions a particular regional board should undertake.

This would allow ratepayers to decide which functions their municipality would participate in as part of a regional district.

Reeve Cox called the changes "very sensible."

"It would appear to do away with objections because it puts democracy back in the hands of ratepayers and it takes the onus off councils for making decisions."

"I think this is desirable. I don't think councils have a clear mandate to delegate powers to someone else."

Reeve Curtis was more cautious in his approval.

"It meets some of the criticism. I'm pleased—it's something."

At Saanich council Monday night, the original bill came under heavy fire.

Councillors unanimously approved a motion voicing vigorous opposition to the bill without much more consideration being given it.

The bill was called "sick legislation," "a real dictator-

ship" and a threat to every person in the province.

Reeve Curtis said there was general approval of joint services plans when municipalities could opt in, but the legislation reversed this.

Coun. Ed Lum said the minister may amalgamate any area he pleases without the residents of that area having any vote on the subject.

Councillors criticized powers for regional districts to borrow money without ratepayer approval.









## SPACE

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allusion to Grissom's first spaceship, which sank in the Atlantic Ocean after a return from a sub-orbital flight. While President Johnson and others watched on television, the Titan thundered into the skies at 9:24 a.m. EST (6:24 a.m. PST).

Before the first orbit was completed, the mission control centre gave the green light for a second orbit, they okayed a third.

The drop in orbital altitude was not a sudden thing. As the thruster jets fired for 77 seconds, the spacecraft moved gradually into its new path as it sailed over Georgia at about 17,400 miles an hour.

Midway through the second orbit, Grissom conducted another space craft manoeuvre which will be important to future rendezvous flights. He twisted the capsule around 90 degrees so it was flying sideways and pointing south.

Then he fired his forward jets for 15 seconds to shoot the craft onto an orbital path about 1½ miles south of the original course. Then he quickly turned the space craft around 180 degrees so it was pointing north and executed a number of rapid jet firings to stimulate action which might have to be taken as a spacecraft approaches a target satellite on a rendezvous mission.

In another space first, the U.S. Syncom II communications satellite was used to relay information from the Molly Brown to the ground tracking network while the spacecraft flew above the Indian Ocean on orbit No. 2. Syncom II, which had been used as a backup relay during the early portions of the flight, became a main relay point when a tracking station in Australia was cut off briefly from communications.

During orbit No. 3, Grissom fired the jets again to drop the low point of the orbit to 52 miles—an altitude that would allow the spacecraft to be automatically drawn back to earth by gravity and atmospheric friction.

This step would eliminate any possibility that Grissom and Young would be marooned in space.

Only three minor problems developed in this first flight by a steerable spacecraft. Two involved a secondary electronic system associated with a thruster jet and a slight pressure drop in a fuel system. Both problems corrected themselves in a short time.

The other involved the blood pressure cuff on Grissom's arm which he said he was unable to operate. Grissom and Young had to remain in the capsule only 23 minutes longer than originally planned as the launch crew went through a near-perfect countdown.

Thousands watched the launch from the beaches around this spacecraft. More watched on television. Among them were President Johnson, who witnessed the spectacle on TV at the White House.

Others included Barbara Young and Betty Grissom, wives of the Gemini pilots, at their homes in Houston, Tex. Both arose before dawn to begin the tense vigil.

Grissom and Young are the 18th and 19th persons and the seventh and eight Americans to fly into space. Russia has orbited 10 men and one woman.

Three Russian cosmonauts went aloft in the Voskhod I last Oct. 16 in the first multi-manned flight. Just five days ago, two more Russians shot into orbit and one of them stepped outside the capsule in a historic space feat.

Aboard the spacecraft were sea urchin eggs, sent aloft to determine effect of weightlessness on simple living tissue. Another experiment was with human blood to determine effects of combination of weightlessness and radiation on blood.



FULTON  
no comment

## Students Hit Secret Meet With Fulton

By CANDIDE TEMPLE

A brief student demonstration Monday protested a Uvic appearance by British Columbia Conservative leader E. Davie Fulton.

The protest started when Mr. Fulton spoke only to a closed meeting of university Conservatives in the Student Union Building.

Reporters of the university newspaper Martlet were asked to leave. Soon after students appeared with placards objecting to this procedure.

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### Shot By Bodyguard

HAVANA (Reuters)—Cuban Transport Minister Faure Chomón, 36, was accidentally shot in the thigh by one of his bodyguards Monday. The minister was getting into his car after a visit to friends when the bodyguard's gun went off. Chomón was taken to hospital for treatment. Officials said his condition was not serious.

The tour of duty is expected to last six months, depending on the UN mandate which was renewed for three months Friday, effective March 26.

The mandate comes up for renewal again June 26.

Returning troops will start arriving at their homes in mid-April. They are First Battalion Canadian Guards, Paton, Ont., and a reconnaissance squadron, Lord Strathcona's Horse of Calgary.

The soldiers will be wearing the blue berets of the United Nations and flying the blue UN flag during their stay in a 350-mile area in northern Cyprus.

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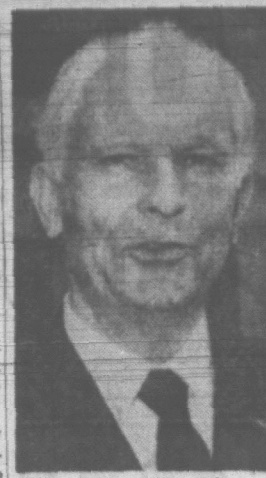
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## Pat Bay Four-Laner May Come This Year

Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi's plan for a \$2 million widening of Patricia Bay Highway this year may grow into full-scale redevelopment of the route.

Mr. Gagliardi Monday said he had sent a request to Ottawa that it share half the cost of "any work done on improving Pat Bay Highway this year."

He said if the federal government did share in the cost, the project would involve "a permanent improvement."

Mr. Gagliardi declined to say whether this meant a new divided four-lane route would be started this year.

However, in his earlier announcement at this session of the legislature, he said the \$2 million widening project would

not be the permanent solution because in about five years' time a new route would have to be built to provide four lanes with a dividing strip.

In Ottawa, the House of Commons was told that the B.C. request is being considered by the public works department.

David Groos (Lib.-Victoria) raised the matter during a debate and said the highway would cost \$9.5 million to widen.

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## DORION

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communication among members of the Cabinet. Even if there were, it was a matter for "internal administration."

The motion that Mr. Pearson be called was advanced by Paul Jolin, New Democratic Party counsel, and supported by Mr. Drouin and Francois Even, Creditiste lawyer.

### OPPOSE MOTION

The motion was opposed by Jules Deschenes, federal government counsel, Gilles Godin, counsel for Andre Letendre, an aide to Justice Minister Favreau, and Francois Chapados, counsel for Liberal organizer Guy Masson.

Mr. Deschenes maintained that any conversations between Mr. Pearson and Mr. Favreau in the case were privileged. Members of the Cabinet were bound by their oath of office and the commission would not be legally justified in calling Mr. Pearson.

Mr. Deschenes said Mr. Jolin's motion was at least premature until Mr. Favreau had appeared.

Argument on the motion, which delayed the inquiry's proceedings, resumed today after a two-week break.

Mr. Jolin said it is essential to give Mr. Pearson an opportunity to explain to the inquiry a letter he submitted last De-

cember referring to the date on which he was advised of RCMP investigations into charges of attempted bribery and coercion by aides to federal cabinet ministers.

He noted that Mr. Pearson told the Commons last November he had been made aware of the investigation only a day or two before but his December letter said he had been advised of it on Sept. 2.

### EXPLANATION USUAL

Mr. Jolin said that it is customary when such a document is submitted to swear in the author and have him explain it.

He also said that he thinks it essential that Mr. Pearson tell the commission how he was informed of the investigation and by whom and what instructions were issued by the prime minister particularly since Mr. Pearson's former parliamentary secretary, Liberal MP Guy Rouleau, was involved.

Mr. Jolin said the public has a right to know what Mr. Pearson's conduct was after he had been informed, adding that surely the prime minister conferred with Justice Minister Favreau and gave him impressions and instructions.

He recalled that Mr. Pearson has already told the Commons that he was prepared to testify if Chief Justice Frederic Dorian invited him to do so.

## WILSON

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expressed "horror and indignation" at United States policy in a cable sent to British Foreign Secretary Michael Stewart in Washington Monday night.

U.S. - supplied South Vietnamese forces have used non-lethal gas against Communists.

The prime minister carefully avoided antagonizing his own left wing or upsetting the U.S., whose policy in Viet Nam his administration has supported.

Wilson told the House Britain had not been told in advance that napalm bombs, or gas would be used in Viet Nam.

Conservative Opposition Leader Sir Alec Douglas-Home agreed with the prime minister when he said at the outset that he would prefer to say little about Viet Nam pending the outcome of Stewart's current talks with U.S. President Johnson and state secretary Dean Rusk.

Wilson disclosed that Britain is determined to go ahead on its own initiative to see whether it could help to bring peace to Viet Nam.

Stewart has told U.S. State Secretary Dean Rusk the Soviet Union wants to stay aloof from the Viet Nam war.

Britain's new foreign policy chief was expected to give the

same report to President Johnson today when he called at the White House.

The rigidly negative Soviet attitude on Viet Nam was conveyed in London by Andrei Gromyko, Russia's foreign minister.

The Soviet position does not offer any latitude for diplomatic manoeuvres, Stewart was reported as having told Rusk. This frustrates British hopes to bring about a negotiated peace with Moscow's help.

Moscow radio led off an expected barrage from Communist capitals with a broadcast accusing the United States of "using increasingly barbarous methods in particular waging chemical warfare" in Viet Nam.

In Paris, the influential evening newspaper Le Monde takes issue with an unidentified U.S. officer who was quoted as saying one problem is to accustom the public to the idea of employing non-lethal gases.

"The problem is not to 'accustom the public to this idea' but to speak up against the use of methods of warfare even more execrable than others," Le Monde says.

The Americans now will be badly placed to denounce the forms of warfare taken by the campaign of the Viet Cong."



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